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Written applications for the position of Assistant-Steward in the above Club will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday next, the 18th inst. By order,
B. WILLIAMS, Secretary.
Victoria, March 10. mr13-td

VANCOUVER ISLAND BUILDING SOCIETY.

The 48th Drawing for an appropriation will be held in the Sir William Wallace Society's Hall, Broad Street, on Wednesday, the 18th March, 1891, at 8 p.m. See that your shares are in good standing.
By order, B. WILLIAMS,
Victoria, B.C., March 12. Secretary.
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BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Latest Rumors From Chili are That President Balmaceda Has Been Assassinated.

An Italian Clerk Sold to France a Copy of the German-Italian Treaty.

The Commons Passes a Large Sum For the Relief of the Irish Poor.

Lord Lonsdale Wins.

LONDON, March 11.—Lord Lonsdale won the driving match, covering the prescribed 20 miles in 56 minutes and 55 seconds. The terms of the contest agreement called for a run of 20 miles, five to be driven in single harness, five with four in hand and the remaining five riding or driving, as either party might wish.

Settled Out of Court.

LONDON, March 11.—The proceedings brought by Col. Hosier against Mr. Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, M.P., as co-respondent in his action for divorce against his wife, Lady Blanche, have been settled out of court. The terms involved the payment of $50,000 to Col. Hosier by Ashmead, the former accepting the sum as payment in full of all demands upon the whilom friend of his wife. The money which is to heal the wounds that the feelings of the fiery colonel have sustained, was voluntarily loaned by the Baroness Burdett-Coutts, Ashmead Bartlett's sister-in-law, with the object of averting the scandal of a public hearing of the case.

Rumors of a Marine Disaster.

LONDON, March 12.—It is rumored at Newport, Wales, that the steamer Trinidad had been lost and that all the crew were drowned.

Affairs at Buenos Ayres.

LONDON, March 12.—A Buenos Ayres dispatch says that the custom house has been re-opened, but the banks still remain closed. It is believed that the financial houses of London, will, within a week or so, subscribe £2,000,000 in gold to the new loan.

The Chilian Revolution.

LONDON, March 12.—A report is in circulation here that private cable dispatches received at Hamburg from Chili, are to the effect that President Balmaceda has been murdered.

The Distress in Ireland.

LONDON, March 12.—In the House of Commons, to-day, Chief Secretary Jackson asked as a credit the sum of $55,831, for the relief of the distress in Ireland. Every possible means had been taken, he said, to expedite the relief works, which otherwise would not have been begun before April or May, and about forty thousand had been relieved. There was no starvation on the mainland, but great risk in the western islands. The present roll of weekly wages amounted to £3,000. On February 28th, the number employed was 7,397. John Morley and Thomas Russell spoke in support of the credit, which was adopted.

A Horrible Tragedy.

LONDON, March 12.—A horrible tragedy occurred at Bary to-day. Jas. Chadwick, a butcher, cut and slashed in a horrible manner Miss Mary Statt, who had recently left him after having lived with him as his mistress for seven years. After having inflicted fatal wounds upon the helpless woman, Chadwick cut his own throat and dropped dead upon the body of his former mistress.

Sold to the French.

ROME, March 12.—A tremendous sensation has been created in official and political circles here by the discovery that the treaty alliance between Italy and Germany was recently copied by a clerk in the foreign office and the copy sold to an agent of the French government. It is asserted that the authorities have positive proof of the guilty clerk, and are pursuing a searching investigation, with a view of tracing the copy of the treaty to its final hands.

The Irish Light Railways.

LONDON, March 12.—The House of Commons, by 150 to 40, has voted an allowance of £136,000 for the Irish light railways.

Steamer Ashore.

ZANZIBAR, March 12—The Italian steamer Paraguay is ashore at Merkah, East Africa, with a number of passengers and troops on board.

The French Racing Laws.

PARIS, March 12.—A bill has been introduced in the Chamber in behalf of the Government to regulate race courses. It contains four clauses, providing that no race course shall be opened without government sanction; no racing societies shall be authorized except to encourage breeding of superior horses; that all accounts of such societies shall be submitted to the government auditor, and that the police and other arrangements on the courses shall be entrusted to the societies concerned in such courses. Nothing is said about the authorization of betting.

Accident on the Great Western.

LONDON, March 12.—A gang of men engaged on the Great Western railway in opening a way for a train that had broken down in the snow, did not see a relief train approaching. The relief train dashed into them, two being killed and several injured.

The Pritchard-Burke Fight.

LONDON, March 12.—Pritchard and Burke fought at the Albany club, Holloway, London, to-night. The building was crowded. Pritchard was the first to enter the ring. Pritchard offered to back himself with Burke for a century, but Burke refused. C. White accommodated him. In the first round Pritchard held himself a good deal, but Burke acted clever. Pritchard fought for the body and Burke got it on the "dial" repeatedly. Time was called amid great excitement. Round two opened with sharp in-fighting in favor of Burke. Pritchard appeared to be waiting a favorable opportunity to get in an effective blow. Pritchard at last got in a heavy blow on the jaw and Burke fell. The excitement was intense when time was called, giving Burke a desired rest. In round three, Pritchard led off, got home on the jaw and Burke was floored. He again rose but was knocked down twice afterwards. Pritchard now had Burke beaten. He sent him down a fourth time, when he failed to rise. Burke fought pluckily notwithstanding Pritchard's tremendous blows. White acted as time-keeper. The fight commenced at 12. The gloves worn during the the fight burst with both competitors, and the battle was virtually fought without padding.

An Unexpected Sea Voyage.

LONDON, Mar. 12.—The Portuguese corvette Dias, on which the courtmartial of the insurgents is proceeding, and which has been anchored for that purpose in the harbor of Oporto, was caught in a gale and obliged to steam out of the harbor and carry the judges, prisoners and witnesses out to sea. It is feared the vessel is injured.

TIT FOR TAT.

The Jewish Residents of San Francisco, in View of the Insults to Their Countrymen,

Discussing the Advisability of a Very Cool Reception to the Czar's Eldest Son.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12.—The Jewish community is divided in opinion as to just what attention should be shown the Czarovitch, the oldest son of the Emperor of Russia, who will arrive in this city on the China steamer in about two weeks. Some think that as a representative of the Russian Government, which has passed laws inflicting great hardships and injustice upon the Jews, making exiles and bankrupts of thousands of them, the Czarovitch should be coldly received by San Francisco. Others think he should be openly snubbed; while the less radical think he should be ignored, by the Jewish people at least, and courteously treated by the city officials.

THE WORLD' FAIR.

Privileges of the Grounds to be Sold Soon—France and Turkey Considering Their Exhibits.

CHICAGO, March 11.—William Penn Nixon has referred to the World's Fair press bureau a letter he has received from Mrs. Amy A. Jackson, of Old Hickory, concerning the Andrew Jackson exhibit at the exposition. This lady and her husband are the owners of General Jackson's old homestead, the "Hermitage" and a large number of Jacksonian relics. She is indignant at the State of Tennessee for neglecting to purchase and preserve the "Hermitage" and the relics, which, she says, strangers declare are more interesting than Mt. Vernon itself. Rather than have these treasures revert to the state she would make a bonfire of them. She is anxious to have a fac-simile of the Hermitage erected on the exposition grounds and filled with relics. The terms on which they offer this exhibit are that they shall be insured against loss; that transportation shall be paid; that they may be offered for sale during the exposition; that the ownership shall be maintained during the time the articles are on exhibition, and that the Jackson exhibit shall be located as far as possible from the Tennessee state exhibit.

CHICAGO, March 11.—The executive committee of the World's fair directory to-day authorized the committee on ways and means to enter into and consummate all negotiations for the sale of fair privileges and concessions. The sale of miscellaneous goods in the fair grounds will not be permitted, except to importers, when the articles are such as may be obtained in any first-class house outside of the grounds, and nothing may be vended which is at variance with the dignity of the fair. No transferring or sub-letting of privileges will be permitted. Thirty days prior to closing the contracts for grants, the committee will advertise in the daily press of the country for proposals. Persons desiring to buy privileges should address the ways and means committee and obtain blanks to be provided for applicants.

PARIS, March 11.—A meeting of the chamber of deputies committee appointed to consider in what manner the merchants of France can be best represented at the Chicago World's fair, took place to-day. After carefully examining and discussing the law in regard to the exhibition, and after studying the rules and regulations of the United States World's fair, the committee paying particular attention to the customs arrangements which it was proposed to make in order to enable foreign exhibitors to pass their exhibits through the United States custom house, the committee decided it was advisable to ask for modifications of the regulations mentioned. Further details upon the whole question will be asked for, and must be received before the chamber of deputies committee will ask credit from the chambers for representation.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 11.—United States Minister Solomon Hirsh has delivered the formal invitation of the United States, asking Turkey to be represented at the World's fair, to be held in Chicago in 1893 It is believed the porte will accept, but some time must elapse before a reply will be given to the invitation.

The Levant Herald has published a significant notice to the effect that by the Sultan's orders a collection is to be made of copies of all Turkish books and other literary works published since the ascension to the throne of the present Sultan, Aboul Hamid. These books are to be richly bound and be sent to the fair. The porte will also send to Chicago a file of the legal paper, De Jeridei Mahakim. The Turkish exhibit will also comprise several paintings, the works of students in the imperial school of art, consisting of many of the most remarkable monuments of the Constantinople addition. The Sultan's photographer will prepare a series of views of the imperial barracks, schools and other public buildings.

CAPITAL NOTES.

How Did the Wiman Letter Get Into the Hands of the Dominion Government?

E. W. Thomson Goes for the Chief Annexation Negotiator for Slandering Him.

He is Backed Up by Sir Charles Tupper—Canada to the Fore in Jamaica.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

OTTAWA, March 12.—E. W. Thomson published an open letter to Mr. Wiman, in which he takes the latter to task for circulating a slanderous report that he (Thomson) stole his letter read by Sir Charles Tupper in his Windsor speech. Both Sir John Macdonald and Sir Charles emphatically deny that Thomson had anything to do with the letter getting into possession of the Government.

Canadian cheese and butter create a great stir in the Jamaica exhibition. They captured all the principal prizes.

The premier is considerably better to-day.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Lord Salisbury's Efforts.

TORONTO, March 12.—The Mail, discussing Lord Salisbury's dispatch to Secretary Blaine, says it has not been the former's fault if his plan for disposing of the whole Behring Sea matter comes to naught.

The Reciprocity Treaty.

TORONTO, March 12.—The Mail discussing the probability of a partial reciprocity treaty between the United States and Canada, thinks it unlikely that Blaine has the power to act, but says that it is not impossible that an unofficial understanding may be reached.

Portage La Prairie Bye-Election.

WINNIPEG, March 12.—The writ for the bye-election in Portage La Prairie has been issued. Polling takes place on March 28th. A. Curtiss is the candidate nominated, but it is thought he will retire in favor of Attorney-General Martin.

Fatal Election Quarrel.

HALIFAX, N. S., March 12.—A bloody affray occurred at Elbrook, Yarmouth county, on election night between H. M. Porter, John White, J. B. White, J. Barque, H. White and S. Muise. The two latter were terribly beaten. Blood marks on the ice show that Muise reached home, but Henry White has not been heard from since and it is believed he is murdered. Hundreds of men have since been searching for his body without success. Porter and the two John Whites are under arrest.

The Behring's Sea Arbitration.

TORONTO, March 12.—The Mail's correspondent in Washington says: Secretary Blaine will endeavor to make some change in the scheme put forth by Lord Salisbury as a means for arriving at a settlement of the Behring's Sea difficulty, adding that whether he is successful or not, arbitration will ensue. He says speculation is already rife as to which of the European powers will act in the capacity of arbitrator, and mentions the King of the Belgians as the most likely to prove acceptable to both nations.

THE SEALING DISPUTE.

No Further Obstruction Will be Placed in the Way of Unconditional Arbitration.

England Anxious to Make Arrangements for the Protection of the Seals.

LONDON, March 12.—Lord Salisbury has received, it is stated officially, dispatches of very satisfactory character from Sir Julian a Pauncefote, relative to the Behring Sea negotiations. It is said that there is every reason to anticipate that no further obstructions will be placed in the way of unconditional arbitration, and that both England and America will unite in an international arrangement for the protection of the seal. The British Government is, semi-officially, represented as being anxious to put an end to the indiscriminate slaughter of seals in Behring Sea, and there is an evident toning down in the utterances of the Tory newspapers from the bristling attitude at first assumed on this subject.

AMERICAN NEWS.

The Illinois Senator.

SPRINGFIELD, March 11.—The long-protracted battle over the United States senatorship has been fought out to a finish at last, and General John M. Palmer, nominee of the Democrats, captured the coveted prize. He was, to-day, on the 145th ballot of the long session, elected to succeed Charles B. Farwell. Every Republican voted for Lindley, every Democrat for Palmer, Moore and Cockrell, also for Palmer (which closed the fight), while Taubeneck, the third alliance member, stuck to the farmers' ship and went down with the flag of Streetor nailed to his mast.

Desperado Shot.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., March 12.—A notorious desperado was shot and killed at Cumberland Gap last night by a marshal's posse, while resisting arrest.

Outbreak in Cuba.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Rumors of an outbreak in Cuba reached here to-day. It is said that the disatisfaction is widespread, and will not only include Havana, but Mont Sana, Cienfugos and the most important parts of the Island. At the office of J. E. Ward & Co., it was said that no cables had been received that had any reference to the outbreak. Several Cubans in the city say that the time is ripe, but deny knowledge of any outbreak. Shipping circles are more or less excited over the report, which seems to have considerable foundation.

PORT CRESCENT.

The Big Blast "Touched Off" with Satisfactory Results—Two Tons of Giant and Judson Powder Exploded.

(Special to the COLONIST).

PORT CRESCENT, March 12.—Another gigantic blast was fired, yesterday, at the breakwater. The sixty-foot tunnel was loaded with two tons of giant and Judson powder and exploded with an electric igniting battery. Manager John E. Lutz "touched off" the charge, and, like the big blast of last September, the noise was hardly noticeable, but the results were entirely satisfactory. A great mass of rock was brought down in position to be readily transferred to the breakwater embankment. The new machinery is now being put in place.

A young man, who has been maintained all winter by Otto Koppacher, of this place, robbed his benefactor of $20 and disappeared, yesterday.

There is a rush of claim hunters to Lake Crescent township, which is to be at once surveyed. A meeting of settlers was held here and steps taken to forward the survey.

KILRAIN vs. GODFREY.

The Contest Comes Off To-night—Kilrain the Favorite at Slight Odds.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—Very little betting is being done on the Kilrain-Godfrey contest. The few bets that have been made are below $100. All have been made in the pool-rooms, but as yet the pool-sellers have established no actual market. There seems to be more Kilrain money than Godfrey money. Yesterday an admirer of Kilrain laid $100 to $75, which was snapped up by Charley Stencel, Jim Corbett's backer, who is ready to take all he can get of the short end. Since this bet only about $500 has been bet, with odds varying from $100 to $90 to $100 to $75, with a tendency toward the latter figures. Corbett's tip to his backer is based on his experience with Kilrain at New Orleans a year ago. Reports from the East in answer to a number of inquiries are that there is no betting going on there. Among the telegrams received are the following from well-known eastern sporting men, Harry Bannigan, the Denver sporting man, telegraphs: "No betting in Denver yet. One bet on Kilrain at $100 to $80." George H. Morgan, of New York, telegraphs: "No betting on the Kilrain-Godfrey match yet. Opinions differ." Another telegram from Enright & Co., Covington, Ky., says: "No odds posted here on the fight. We think Kilrain will be a slight favorite." Larry Kelly, of Boston, has also telegraphed to a friend in this city that no betting is going on at the Hub, although that is the home of Godfrey. By to-morrow, however, betting will no doubt be brisk, as Kilrain's admirers are very anxious to get in at the smallest odds. They are not likely to take any chances of getting good money on Godfrey on the evening of the contest.

Jake Kilrain and Jim Hall were "at home" to a select party of "society" people last night. Since the two boxers have been in training at the beach several parties of the more speedy class of society people have been organized for the purpose of making a visit to the training quarters of the two men, but all efforts to gain admission to the training room were unsuccessful. Muldoon had not finished training Kilrain, and he did not wish to be interfered with. Yesterday, however, having got his man fit, Muldoon decided that it would not be out of place to allow Kilrain to "receive." Accordingly, Kilrain and Hall were dressed in their best suits of clothes and at 8 o'clock a party of ladies and gentlemen were received, Muldoon acting as master of ceremonies, while Joe Harris acted as butler. Kilrain and Hall furnished considerable amusement by boxing, wrestling and punching the bag, and concluded the entertainment with songs and piano accompaniments. Hall showed himself to be quite a musician, and sang and played very well also.

The prospects of a match between George Dixon and Abe Willis grow more favorable every day. Last Tuesday week President Fulda sent a telegram to Capt. Cook, of Boston, requesting him to make another attempt to get Dixon's consent to a match for $3,000. Tom. O'Rourke, Dixon's backer, when shown the telegram by Cook, replied that he would not be able to make any arrangements with the Californian club until he had settled his business with the Troy club, which has offered a $4,000 purse for Dixon and McCarthy, and is trying to pacify the police, who are determined to prevent the contest from being held in that city. The managers of the Troy club have promised to post a money guarantee that the men will not be molested, but the general opinion in Troy is that the police will have their own way, and with this in view, O'Rourke says he does not want to take any chances. He has promised Capt. Cook that if he is not positively assured inside of a week that there will be no interference, he will accept the California club's offer. Dixon is in splendid condition, and Willis would need but little training, as he is now in fine fit for his ten round set-to on Friday night, so that if Dixon should not get his assurance from the Troy club in a few days he will be able to come to San Francisco, and in another ten days be ready to meet Willis in April. This is the present condition of affairs, and President Fulda has great hope of getting the match on for April. Should he fail, he says the club is not likely to have an April entertainment.

Napoleon's Headache.

NAPOLEON'S head was of peculiar shape, but that did not protect him against headache. Sick headache is a common and very disagreeable affection which may be quickly removed, together with its cause, by the use of Burdock Blood Bitters, the never-failing medicine for all kinds of headaches.

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PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

First Session of the Sixth Parliament.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY.

The Speaker took the chair at 2 o'clock. After prayers by Rev. Dr. Reid,

HON. MR. ROBSON presented a return relating to certain properties in the city of New Westminster.

THE JURORS' ACT.

HON. MR. DAVIE submitted a message from the Lieut.-Governor transmitting the Jurors' Act of 1891, and moved that it be considered by the Committee of the whole House—Carried.

The House went into Committee, Mr. McKenzie in the chair, and subsequently rose to report a Bill to further amend the Jurors' Act. The Bill was read a first time. Its main object was to increase the remuneration of petit and special jurors.

PETITIONS

MR. SMITH presented a petition from John Miller and other residents of Lillooet District re residence of resident physician.

MR. ROGERS presented a petition asking for a wagon road from Quesnelle Mouth.

REPORTS.

MR. MARTIN submitted the report of the Standing Orders and Private Bills Committee reporting act to incorporate the Toad Mountain and Nelson Tramway company—Adopted.

COL. BAKER handed in the report of the Railway Committee, asking that the standing orders be suspended to allow the Nicola, Kamloops and Similkameen R.R. Bill to be recommitted, it being believed that important evidence which may affect the interests of the public can be submitted for the consideration of the Committee.

MR. SEMLIN hoped that time would be given to all parties to be heard, as he understood some of the parties had already gone home.

COL. BAKER said that it was proposed for the committee to hear the parties on Tuesday or Wednesday next.

MR. SEMLIN thought the time would be altogether inadequate, owing to the distance at which some of the parties resided.

COL. BAKER replied that the matter at issue was a very simple one. It was merely a question of principle.

MR. MARTIN said that, three days ago, he and the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works had received a telegram requesting them to oppose a portion of the bill, and at the proper stage he should raise the objections.

After further discussion the matter was left over.

NELSON AND FORT SHEPPARD R. R.

MR KELLIE presented the petition of William Hunter and others, re the Nelson and Fort Sheppard R.R. bill.

MR. MARTIN said the petition should not be received; it was a reflection upon members of this House.

The SPEAKER ruled that it did not so reflect.

The petition was received, but, as it referred to what had already been passed

The SPEAKER said it could not be printed without an order of the House.

PRIVILEGE.

HON. MR. DAVIE rose to a question of privelege, denying the statement of Mr. Brown that he had forwarded a telegram to Mr. Cunningham that he would support any lien law that would be acceptable to the workingmen. He fortunately had the telegrams in his possession. The first was a telegram from Mr. Cunningham asking him to assist in substituting the Ontario Mechanics' Lien Act for our own. He had replied to this: "If it is preferred and is a better Act will have no objection to substituting."

MR. BROWN said he would not now reply to the Attorney-General, but in a few days he would be able to prove his statement that such a telegram had been read by Mr. Cunningham, but he would not say that it had been written by the Attorney-General.

HON. MR. DAVIE quoted the report of Truth, of the public meeting in Westminster on June 3, (the one referred to), to show that both he and the Premier had declared that they were willing to incorporate any amendment that would be acceptable.

THE LAND ACT.

The House, on motion of HON. MR. VERNON, went into committee, Mr. Kitchen in the chair, on the bill to amend the Land Act.

After the bill had been discussed at some length, the committee rose and reported progress.

HON. MR. ROBSON presented papers connected with the estate of Mr. McMartin in the Lillooet district.

SPEAKER'S OPINION.

MR. SPEAKER, referring to the report of the Railway committee on the Nicola, Kamloops and Similkameen R. R. bill, said that it was perfectly competent for the member for East Kootenay to move that the order for the second reading of the bill be discharged; but he warned him that such a course would imperil the passage of the measure, as there were several rival bills which might be benefited by the delay.

MR. BAKER repudiated any idea of interfering with the ultimate passage of the bill.

MR. SPEAKER said every one of its opponents had had every opportunity, six weeks' notice having been given of the introduction of the bill, and it was neither fair nor in accordance of the rules of order to ask for the adoption of such a course. The bill, moreover, had not, so far, been opposed.

MR. BAKER said he was willing to allow the report to be held over, his only object having been to see justice done.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

BY MR. KEITH—That a select committee, composed of Messrs. Eberts, Stoddart, Kellie, Brown, Forster and the mover, be appointed to enquire into all the circumstances connected with the reading of the Riot act by Magistrate Planta, at Wellington, on March 11, with power to call for persons, papers, and to examine witnesses.

SUNDAY NOT SABBATH?

TO THE EDITOR:—Your correspondent in to-day's issue rightly heads his letter "Sunday not Sabbath," for in spite of his assertions and texts they utterly fail to prove that Sunday is. If "Nemo" think that he can prove Sunday is the Sabbath by these texts or any others, there is $1,000 awaiting him and I will undertake to see that he gets it. This is what Father Enright, a Catholic priest, said in a lecture as reported in the Hartford Weekly Call of Feb. 22d, 1884. "I am not a rich man, but I will give $1,000 to any man who will prove by the Bible alone, that Sunday is the day we are bound to keep. No, it cannot be done, it is impossible. The observance of Sunday is solely a law of the Catholic church, and therefore is not binding upon others. The church changed the Sabbath to Sunday, and all the world bows down and worships upon that day, in silen obedience to the mandates of the Catholic church. Is this not a living miracle—that those who hate us so bitterly, obey and acknowledge our power every week and DO NOT KNOW IT?" If your readers will take the trouble to examine the texts quoted they will see that four of these do not even mention Sunday, first day or anything, that has the slightest bearing on the case. "Nemo" accuses "Anti-Sundayite" of impertinence, ignorance, etc., but, Sir, what can we call this? "Tell it not in Gath." The religious laws "Nemo" speaks of have not yet come, and when they do persecution will follow in their wake, which will cause many honest-minded citizens to leave the country.

VERITAS.

THE SABBATH QUESTION.

TO THE EDITOR:—If "Nemo," in taking upon himself to instruct Anti-Sundayite, thinks that he shows greater knowledge by taking him to task and calling him "Anti-Christ," "impertinent," and "ignorant," let us see what "Nemo" knows, and wherein his knowledge lies. At least four of the texts he quotes have no bearing upon the subject, viz.: Acts, 1-13, 12-12, Romans 16-5, First Cor. 19-10, and the remainder prove nothing for Sunday sacredness.

What a strange thing that the Apostles did not leave some definite command concerning so important a matter as the change of the Sabbath from the Seventh to the first day if such really took place; but it certainly is on record in Acts 18 chap., 4 and 11 verses, that Paul met with the church at Corinth at least eighteen months every Sabbath or "Seventh day," and the fact of the Seventh day being called the Sabbath day by the writer of Acts is good proof that it was so regarded during the lives of the Apostles. And for "Nemo" to coolly inform "Anti-Sundayite" that he can "get out" if he does not like certain laws which he, "Anti-Sundayite," may condemn as unrighteous, is proof of the beautiful spirit of charity that controls him.

It pains me to see such things coming from a professed follower of a meek and lowly Saviour. When will men learn that such an intolerant spirit does not honor Him. He seeks the service prompted by love and not by coercive means. You may obtain a Sunday law, "Nemo," but that will only prove you have a majority, which does not necessarily prove you right. The Apostle Paul says as much as lieth in you live peaceably with all men. (Romans, 12-18). Remember, also, the golden rule. Wherein are we practising these if we, because being a majority, we ask our legislators to make laws that will oppress some of the followers of Christ? He says that whoso shall offend one of these little ones that believe in Me, 'twere better for him if a mill-stone were hanged about his neck, and drowned in the depths of the sea.

Let us love as brethren, be pitiful, be courteous, having compassion.

"WATCHMAN."

"THE AVERAGE VOTER."

TO THE EDITOR:—May I claim through your columns, as a workingman and an employer of labor in a small way, to say a few words in regard to the insulting tirade published in the Times newspaper against the "average voter," because we, the workingmen and "average voters" of Victoria, refused to endorse at the polls, the unpatriotic and disloyal doctrines preached by the "heavy man" and the "low comedian" of the Times Comedy Co. The working man and the "average voter" of Victoria will never consent to be "rounded up" by the Times in the Missouri cowboy style, to satisfy the ambition of nincompoops and moral and political straddle-the-fence politicians.

The Times has of late exhibited great irregularities in temper. Sometimes confident in assured victory from Halifax to Victoria; then threatening and insulting; then desponding. We are calmly informed that if the doctrines of the Times failed to receive the support of the electorate at the polls, the country would, in less than two years, be plunged into all the horrors of civil war! Employers, like myself, were warned that if they voted or influenced against the Liberal nominees the Times had a crematory heated, seven times seven, to roast them. But the Times has, by the voice of an overwhelming majority, been done that brown that roast pigeon is nothing to it. Finally we are treated to a homily, in reply to your scathing article, on the "use of a newspaper," "Republican simplicity," exhibited in reference to the "fields of cloth *and* gold," whatever that means, put in, I suppose, to show the learned ideas of the inspirator.

Political opinion, to my mind, ought to be propogated by sound, logical argument, not by threatened violence or overt insult. I, as "an average voter," am entitled to have my own doctor. The Liberal Conservative doctor is the doctor for me, for Victoria, and for Canada. It is the voice of the people which built up the state and the voice of the demagogue of the Times that endeavors to undermine the glorious fabric of our constitutional liberty which we enjoy under the rule of the British Lion. These demagogues imagine themselves learned and competent to dictate to the "average voter," though they grovel in ignorance of everything that is noble, true and just in our institutions. They, forsooth, call themselves champions of the "workingman's rights," yet they are the very ones to trade, to their own profit, on his credulity, brains and labor. For the claims put forth in support of the rights of the working man and political corruption, consult the Times. Their power of doing injury to the commonwealth is only surpassed by their desire to do it at any cost. These Liberal ravens have croaked out their song, exhibiting a malignant delight in presaging "blue ruin" to the country when they are not employed in doing it. They are like the dark spirit of envy and disappointment gazing down on the wealth, happiness and prosperous future of this broad Dominion and are not able to restrain their grief, because there is nothing to grieve at but their own disappointment and fallen ambition.

Colonel Prior sang "a good song" during the late campaign which took with the audience, and if the "heavy man" of the Times company is a little jealous in consequence, it is because he sang his heavy unintelligible song in cadence something like the dying notes of a diseased bagpipe. There was neither tune, symphony or accompaniment in it, while the low comedian's song was nothing new in words or tune, and void of interest when executed mechanically in the barrel-organ style.

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Balmaceda's Government Desperate—Revolutionists Hold the Sea but Defeated on Land.

NEW YORK, March 11. — The Herald's correspondent at Santiago, Chili, sends the following letter under date of February 11: "A bloody battle has been fought at Pisagua. The rebels were defeated, having forty killed and thirty-four wounded. Their commander, Colonel Salvador Vergara, was seriously wounded, but was carried away by his soldiers. The government still continues to exile all persons who are in any way inclined toward the rebels. Both natives and foreigners are suffering. Several German and English merchants have been given thirty-six hours in which to leave the country for ever. A perfect surprise, to say the least, has been the decree of the government expelling from the country the representative of a foreign nation—the consul of Austria at Valparaiso. The consul, it seems, was very much inclined towards the rebels, and in an unguarded moment stated his feelings and the opinion of Balamaceda to his friends.

The Government prisons are filled to overflowing with prisoners, not the scum of society, but with revolutionists who are considered worthy of imprisonment by Balmaceda, who is styled by revolutionists the "modern dispot." Confiscation on a grand scale is being resorted to by the Government. Only last week the entire property of Don H. Edwards, the richest man in Chili, was confiscated by the Government.

A most terrible disaster has taken place at Port Coronel It was about 3 o'clock in the afternoon when the Esmeralda appeared in the harbor and demanded the surrender of the town. This was refused, and a perfect shower of grape canister was followed by solid shot. The people fled to the heights for safety, while some took refuge in the railroad station. Suddenly, before anyone could escape, the roof and the west wall fell in, burying over 200 men, women and children in the ruins. The firing continued and, added to the cries of the dying, caused the commander to surrender to the cruiser.

As soon as word was sent to the cruiser, surgeons of the ship, with a detachment of marines, was sent to help clear up the wreck and tender assistance to the wounded; sixty-seven dead bodies were taken out. About one hundred persons were more or less injured.

The blockade of Valparaiso is beginning to tell. Provisions are scarce and expensive. The two cruisers which are now blockading the port keep up an incessant vigilance, and nothing can get in or out. A desultory fire is kept up which is far more fatal than a bombardment. The commandant of the city will try to dislodge the enemy by means of a midnight attack with torpedo boats, of which the Government has several here. It is not probable that this will have good results, in view of the excessive vigilance kept up by the rebels and their strong cordon of look-outs.

General Urrutia, who commands the rebel army, has his headquarters on the island of Santa Maria, and has there over 5,000 fully armed and disciplined men. These men, it is said, are being held until such time as an attack on Santiago may be feasible, when they will be used. The revolutionists have also large bodies of troops at Pisagua and Chanara.

Colonel Annibal Narajuo, who was taken prisoner by the revolutionists at the battle of Ovalle, was shot by them. The government forces thereupon marshalled out fifty revolutionary prisoners and put them to death.

The war department to-day made public the strength of the army. The government has now ready for the field 30,000 men, fully armed and equipped. The army has been divided into seven sections, with the minister of war as the commander-in-chief. The greatest difficulty the department has is in conveying supplies and troops from one place to another. This is impossible by water, as the rebel navy is in full control of the sea, and constantly watches all crafts which pass by.

The government of Bolivia and representatives of foreign powers are protesting against compulsory service in the army. Foreigners have either one or two alternatives, to enlist under the government banner or leave the country inside of 36 hours. About 50 Roman Catholic priests have been arrested at Valparaiso They are accused of of abetting the revolution. They were brutally treated by the police.

All property of the following families has been confiscated: Borgout, Toros, Quadroo, Damiles, Delano, Riquelme, Velasco, Steban, Rivas, Scotto, Latomayor, Valdevieze, Varella, Valldoor and Barroo-Arano.

The Roman Catholics are up and in arms at the imprisonment of Bishop Fontevilla. He is held on board the Blanco Enclalada as a prisoner, and should Salmada, the revolutionary chief, be shot he will meet with the same fate. The revolutionists have notified the government that they will follow out the proverb of "An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth." If any rebel chiefs are shot all prisoners of any prominence in the hands of the rebels will be executed.

In view of the fact that all the Chilian ships have gone over to the revolutionists, and that it has no ships with which to operate, the government has decided to purchase all merchant vessels in the waters of Chili, if, after necessary inspection, they are found to be up to the required standard. Ships will also be bought at Buenos Ayres and Montevideo if possible.

In spite of the wholesale arrest of men and women by President Balmaceda there is no doubt that a strong feeling of friendship exists towards the revolutionists in Santiago. A decree has been issued by the president prohibiting all persons from leaving the country without a passport.

IRELAND'S CROP REPORT.

Details of Damage to Potatoes and Corn and Suffering Districts.

DUBLIN, March 10.—The Irish local government board has issued a report on the failure of the potato crop and condition of the congested districts. It states that the districts in which the disease appears comprise about one-half of Ireland, and it is due to the planting of old Champion seed. In light, dry soil the crop in some places is excellent, but in the cold, wet lands and mountain districts the failure everywhere is serious. The corn crop is mostly good, and green crops are up to a fine average. Other resources of the farmers are about up to the average.

Briefly the report goes on to show that small farmers in bad circumstances are confronted with a scarcity of potatoes unprecedented in thirty years, causing the deepest distress. In the congested districts distress is aggravated by the reluctance of local shopkeepers to grant credit. Some of the board estimate the damage to the potato crop equivalent to the loss of the mid-day meal. The report gives details as to how the suffering poor should be relieved, showing that distress is yet on the increase. Relief applications are confined to the congested districts of the West and to the laboring and fishing classes of the South. It is expected the pressure will become more general between now and April.

FAST ATLANTIC FLYERS.

New Steamship Line Between New York and London—Steel Vessels to Accomplish the Trip in Five Days.

NEW YORK, March 11.—An editorial will be published in the Seaboard to-day giving out the line of Austin Corbin's scheme for swift steamers from Montauk Point, L. I., to Milford Haven, England. By an act recently passed in Congress, Corbin has been able to excell all other plans for trans-Atlantic steamships, and the editorial says he will begin operations at once.

His plan is to build eight first-class steamships, of large capacity, all to be of steel, to be constructed in American shipyards and be capable of making 24 knots an hour. With these ships it is hoped to make the distance between Montauk Point and Milford Haven, 2,791 nautical miles, within five days.

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From New York city a train of the finest vestibule cars will whisk passengers in two hours' time to Fort Pond bay, where deep water will allow the heaviest draught ocean steamship to run close in shore.

Passengers and baggage will be taken on board these ocean monsters, and inside of five days landed in Milford Haven, one of the finest harbors in England, where another express train will land passengers in London in two hours.

In order to make the best possible time these steamers will not carry heavy freight, but will limit their cargoes to light parcels and mails.

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Within two years, according to the Seaboard, the first four of these new steamships will be in commission, and it is promised they will eclipse anything afloat in excellence, safety and speed.

It is said Corbin has all his plans perfected for this great enterprise and will see the secretary of the navy at once, in order to get his approval of the designs for the new ships, so that they may conform in every particular to the provisions set forth in the postal subsidy bill. The four ships already projected will cost in all $1,200,000.

STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS.

The Awful Fate of a New Hampshire Blasphemer—A Visitation of God's Wrath.

NEW HAVEN, March 11.—French Roman Catholics in this city are horrified at what they consider punishment visited upon a blasphemer who was stricken dumb while cursing the Catholic church and all connected with it.

Rev. Father Lacrosse came here recently from Montreal and revival services followed his advent in this city. At one of these meetings the priest urged his hearers to endeavor to reclaim all whom they had known as members of the church, but who had become indifferent to religion, and with this end in view the congregation called upon many of their own nationality.

Special efforts were made to reclaim Louis Lemay, of 110 James street. Several self-constituted missionaries sought Lemay at his rooms yesterday, and, with prayers and supplications, besought him to turn from his present ways and find consolation within the portals of the church.

As a return for their solicitude for his spiritual welfare, Lemay cursed his callers roundly, commencing with the church itself, devoting it to eternal fire and brimstone. Then he took up the prelates, beginning with the pope, and cursed them individually and collectively.

"May they all," and there the man stopped, while his eyes started from his sockets and he seemed to be in agony. Friends drew near and begged Lemay to tell his troubles, but he was unable to utter a word.

A physician who had been hastily summoned, made an examination and declared that the man had been struck with paralysis. The sufferer is still speechless. The Canadian priest says that in his judgment Lemay's affliction is a visitation of God's wrath.

IN CHAMBERS.

(Before Mr. Justice Crease.)

Davies v. McMillan—For stay of execution pending appeal to full court. Mr. Wilson for plaintiff; Mr. Aikman for defendant.

Turner v. Power—To discharge *lis pendens*. Stand over until to-day. Mr. Jackson for plaintiff; Mr. Corbould for defendant

Moore v. Ross—Motion for judgment to be heard before Mr. Justice Drake to-day or Monday. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken for plaintiff; Belyea & Gregory for defendant.

McDougall v. Robson—Action for clearing land on the Brighouse estate. Adjourned until to-day. Belyea & Gregory for plaintiff; Bodwell and Irving for defendant.

Gardner v. Shushwap Milling Co.—Trial to be held on the last Tuesday in April.

MOTHERS ATTEND THEIR OWN CHILDREN.

It is worthy of note, that for some length of time mothers in Canada and the United States have themselves treated their children when suffering and sick. The mothers' favorite remedy to-day is Paine's Celery Compound, a scientific preparation and entirely vegetable, and one which cannot harm the most delicate constitution. A mother says:—"Last spring my little girl, four years old, had a bilious attack; but the constipated bowels, aching head, bad smelling breath, and furred tongue readily yielded to a few doses of Paine's Celery Compound, and she quickly regained brisk health." This grand restorer is the safest and best for all children. It is particularly adapted for the little ones, causing them to regain strength rapidly, gives them appetite, makes them sleep soundly and naturally, and harmonizes their whole network of life. Mothers of Canada, do not fail to procure this valuable compound for your children when they are sick and suffering.

Editorial Evidence.

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Lot, 1 acre, Richmond Road	2,500
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8 room 2 story House, bath, &c. (new); stabling for 14 horses, etc., Work Est.	3,150
7 room House (new), bath, etc., and lot, close to Beacon Hill Park	3,150
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NO EVIDENCE.

We are not a little surprised that the City Council considered the declaration of Mr. J. G. McDonald worthy of a moment's consideration. When the members of that body saw that the document consisted of a number of hearsay statements, concerning persons, most of whom have no connection whatever with the Corporation, it might be supposed that they would throw it into the waste basket without the slightest hesitation.

It is not customary for even private individuals to pay attention to charges preferred against servants or neighbors in this loose and indirect way. When a man commences his story in such a way as this: "Mr. Blank told me that Mr. Dash had said to him that your servant," ———, a man of sense and principle, would not wait to hear any more. He would ask the talebearer what do you know yourself about the man? and when it was found he knew nothing, except what he had heard, a speedy end would be put to the interview.

Now, this Mr. McDonald's tales are precisely of this nature. According to his own declaration, he knows nothing whatever about the letting of the contaact for the sewers, or the action of those who proposed to bid for the contract, except what he alleges he heard from Mr. H. F. Keefer and Mr. J. W. McFarlane. All that the City Council therefore are asked to take action on are the reports of conversations twice repeated. Some one says something to M. H. F. Keefer, if Mr. McDonald tells the truth, that conversation is repeated to Mr. McDonald, who repeats what he considers the substance of it to the City Council. McDonald himself, it is to be observed, knows nothing whatever of the matter which he repeats. He is not even certain that the conversations which he reports ever took place, neither can he tell if they did take place, that they have been reported to him faithfully.

We do not for the moment make any enquiry as to who this Mr. McDonald is, or what object he had in repeating conversations which he says he heard. What we desire to direct attention to is the manifest unreliability of such second hand stories as Mr. McDonald tells. If any of the questions about which the communicative gentleman speaks were brought into a court of law would his evidence be taken as to the truth of any of the statements he makes? After a question or two sufficient to find out that all the information he had to give was acquired in the way he states, by hearsay, he would be asked, and that perhaps not very politely, to step down. If people in authority were to listen and to act upon such stories as Mr. McDonald tells there would be no end to the mischief that would be done and the injustice that would be inflicted. Mayor Grant placed on McDonald's statements their true value when he said that the whole thing was the frivolous emanation of the brain of a disappointed man.

We did not think that a Council composed of business men who are supposed to have some idea of the nature and value of testimony would waste their time in considering such a palpably unreliable declaration. How would any of them like to have his character for open and fair dealing called in question on such testimony as is contained in this precious declaration? What would he think of the man, or men, who would entertain a charge against him based upon the report of a report repeated by a person whose motive in traducing him was open to question? We think that when the Council have given themselves time to examine this document coolly they will wonder why they did not throw the trash at once under the table.

HIGHEST CASH prices paid for ladies' and gent's cast off clothing. Address—S Cooness, 2nd door west Broad st., on Johnson. *

A PARLIAMENTARY STRUGGLE.

The origin of the trouble in Chili has, until very lately, been a mystery. All that was known was that the disturbance was serious, and that it had thrown business into confusion. Even though there is telegraphic communication between Chili and the countries east of it, it is a very long way off, and it is difficult to find out how its affairs are progressing.

A document lately received by the New York Herald throws a good deal of light upon the struggle in Chili. That document is a manifesto issued by Balmaceda, the President of the Republic. It is in the form of an address to the people, and is his defence for the course he has taken.

From this address it appears that the civil war now going on had its origin in a dispute between the President and Congress. The representatives of the people did not approve of the course which the President was pursuing, and as he did not alter his policy to suit their views, Congress had recourse to a measure that in similar cases has proved effective. It stopped the supplies. Having the power of the purse it refused to pass the Appropriation bill, and the President was left without funds to pay the army and navy, and to maintain the civil service. How President Balmaceda regarded this extreme, but according to British ideas, constitutional procedure may be seen from the following passage from the address:

"The majority of Congress has been enabled to violate the constitution; they have been enabled to excite the army to disobey their natural chiefs and excite the people, indifferent or disdainful, to start a revolution to save themselves from the moral and political situation to which they have been dragged by their own errors; they have been enabled to say that the President of the Republic assumes the dictatorship because he declines to submit to a Parliamentary dictatorship and surrender the reins of government to those who divest him of his rights and traduce his purposes; they have been enabled in their misconduct to proclaim the revolution from the very legislative halls. Their voluntary omissions, their aggressions, bringing opprobrium on themselves, and their sessions will not deter me from my inexorable purpose to discharge my duties.

I am in duty bound to maintain the constitution. As I must adjust my conduct to it, I will not allow my fellow citizens to be made a prey to anarchy, and therefore I shall enforce and never permit Congress nor any one else to set at defiance my lawful authority or to assume an exclusive sovereignty, even under the plea of the representation of the people, while in violation of article 150 of the constitution, which considers such a conduct as an act of sedition.

The majority of Congress has not discharged, nor had the will to discharge their constitutional duty of approving the Appropriation Bill, nor that of the standing army and navy. It has thrown the institutions into the perils of excited animosities of political circles, divided among their members, and holding opposite views among antagonized and irresponsible chieftains, influenced by their exaggerated ambitions"

We should like to see what the members of Congress have to say about the constitutional duty of approving the Appropriation Bill. Other Parliaments, at other times, and in other countries have considered it their constitutional duty to refuse the Head of the Executive the means to carry on the Government, in opposition to the well under tood wishes of the people, and even Sovereigns have been known to lower their tone very considerably when they were convinced that the representatives of the people were in earnest when they threatened to refuse to pass the Appropriation Bill. But this President of the Chilian republic is made of other metal. He considers that he has a right to have his own way, let the representatives of the people do or say what they may, and he evidently regards their refusal to supply him with money, to carry on the Government, in a manner opposed to their wishes, as an unpardonable piece of presumption. This is what he says:

"If, in the judgment of the majority of Congress, their deliberate omission in failing to approve the bills affecting the national existence, brings to the President of the Republic an irregular state of affairs, nobody in Chili has any right to appeal to a revolution, nor the public powers, either.

Even in the event of the chief of the nation being liable for the shortcomings of the majority of Congress, a revolution cannot be proclaimed as a remedy. The constitution has foreseen the case in which the President of the Republic, or his ministers, may violate the constitution and laws, and in such an event establishes the only manner and form in which to make effective their responsibility.

Any other conduct is subversive and revolutionary. In obedience to the constitution I am bound to administer the affairs of State, to preserve the public order at home and provide for the safety of our country abroad; therefore, I will keep the army and navy, and pay the service required for the protection of society and for the existence of the Republic."

Balmaceda clearly considers that the state was made for him and not he for the state, or, rather, he is ready to adopt the language of the French king who, in a fit of modesty, said, "I am the State." Perhaps, the Hampdens and the Cromwells of the Chilian revolution have a very different story to tell. It is evident, from the following extract from the manifesto, that Balmaceda is not very well acquainted with a most interesting period in the constitutional life of Great Britain, for he says:

"The parliamentary coalition suspended in July the collection of the contributions, converting this law of national life into an offensive weapon, wielded in a manner never before known to any congress in the world"

Historical parallels are, we know, often illusory, but it does seem from Balmacedas' own address that there is a rather striking resemblance between the struggle now going on in Chili and the long and most memorable contest between Charles the First, of England, and his Parliament. There is, however, not much fear that Balmaceda will meet the fate that overtook the gallant but misguided King of England. The Nineteenth Century differs in many important respects from the Seventeenth. Balmaceda, when he finds that the tide has set in against him, will most likely step into a railway carriage, take a safe and easy journey to Europe, where he will live the remainder of his life, comfortably, if ingloriously, on the boodle he has accumulated during his term of office.

NOMINATION OR ELECTION.

The chief objection raised against the School Bill, so far, is making the Trustees nominative instead of elective. We do not see that the arguments of those who condemn the system of nomination are very strong. They have not shown that the people would be likely to elect better men than their representatives in the City Council would appoint. We rather think that the opposite would be the case. The City Council, having all the competent persons available to choose from, would be more likely to select men and women well qualified to perform the duties of Trustees than the electors, to the greater number of whom the candidates would, necessarily, be almost perfect strangers. The system of nomination has worked well in the Maritime provinces. The city councils and the governments have generally chosen good men who take an interest in education and who were willing to devote a part of their time gratuitously in order to keep the schools in a state of efficiency. There being no emoluments attached to the office of school trustee no favoritism was shown by the City Fathers. The men they selected were generally noted for the interest they took in the cause of education and for their ability to perform the duties of the office satisfactorily. And, as we have said, they, as far as we know, seldom made a mistake.

There is a good deal of diversity in the manner of choosing the men who manage the schools. In the cities of the maritime provinces, and in those of the provinces of Quebec they are nominated. In the Ontario cities they are elected. In England, School Boards are elective, in the city of New York, and we believe other cities of the States, the school commissioners are appointed by the civic authorities. We do not know that one system is very much superior to the other. The rights of the citizens do not, in our opinion, enter into the subject at all. The question is merely one of administration, and the chances of getting a good school administration are, we believe, greater by appointment than by election. The system that has worked well in the maritime provinces will, we submit, be likely to work well in British Columbia. People may attach too much importance to a particular system. In school matters the saying, "What's best administered is best," applies with peculiar force. We are pretty sure that when the people of Victoria, and the other cities of the province, have had a trial of the nominative system they will be too well satisfied with it to ask for a change.

NELSON & FORT SHEPPARD RAILWAY.

Of all the railroads for which charters have been asked of the Provincial Legislature during the present session, the one mentioned above is probably the most important. It is the one which will open, as soon as it is constructed, the rich mining region of Kootenay Lake. That it is considered a necessity by the inhabitants of that section, is shown by the several petitions, which have been sent to Mr. Kelly, the representative of West Kootenay, and to the Government, asking for the granting of the charter. These petitions were called forth by the action of the railway towns along the C.P.R., and were sent to the capital under the impression that the Legislature might be led to vote unfavorably upon the bill. Fortunately they have proved to be not needed, as the Bill for the charter had passed the House before they were received—proving that the people's representatives thoroughly understood the wants of the interior.

It is understood that the promoters of this enterprise are in communication with capitalists for the placing of the bonds upon the road. It is a very unfortunate time for causing great stringency in money matters the placing of any bonds, so soon after the financial panic which so nearly caused a crash in all the great money centres, and while still the effects of that panic are felt. The great benefit resulting to the whole province from this road will depend much upon the work being speedily begun and pushed forward to completion, so as to gain at least one "all the year round" route into the Kootenay lake. It behooves the government, therefore, to impress upon the company the necessity of moving vigorously and at once, and we trust that it will afford the company all possible facilities to enable them to place their bonds successfully. Of course all railways now are built upon the proceeds of bonds, which are a lien upon the property of the company. If the Government can aid in making these bonds acceptable to the money kings of the east, we hope that it will see its way to do so.

The company is emphatically a British Columbia corporation. Its members are old residents of our province, and have made their mark upon our town and country. They have long been known as foremost men in schemes for the development of the resources of the province. It will be a satisfaction to the community to see a provincial company, made up of provincial men, building a provincial road, even though foreign capitalists furnish the "sinews of war"

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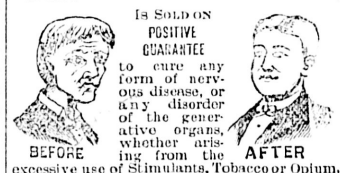

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mr12 td A. W. JONES & BRIDGMAN.

TENDERS.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital are now prepared to receive tenders for the purchase of the land and buildings of the French Benevolent Society, situated opposite St. Joseph's Hospital.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted, to be addressed to the President up to the 31st inst., under cover to

H. M. YATES,
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Victoria, B.C., March 10, 1891. mr11

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

THE UNDERSIGNED will receive tenders up to noon, Saturday, 21st inst., for the erection and completion of a frame building for mill purposes, at the outer wharf, for Brackman & Ker.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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mr11 td Architect.

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TENDERS will be received at the City Clerk's office for the construction of certain crib work in Beacon Hill Park, until the 18th day of March instant, at 4 p.m.

Specifications may be seen at the City Surveyor's office.

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By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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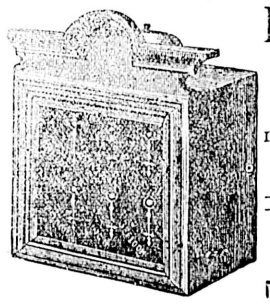

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Removal.

George S. Russell has removed his barber shop to No. 42, Yates street, next to W. J. Jeffree's. tf

Half-Hour Trips.

On Saturday and Sunday the tram cars will make half-hour trips to Esquimalt, and commencing next week a regular half-hour service will be instituted.

Removal.

McCallum & Woods have removed their tailoring establishment into their new store, No. 62 Douglas street, corner of View. A fine line of spring goods just opened. Call and see us. *

Souvenirs.

Tourists will find at Pennock & Kingham's a full line of Souvenir spoons, with Dunsmuir's castle engraved in the bowl, and on the back, Victoria, B. C., 1891. Also, a full line of diamonds, etc., 49 Government street, opposite Bank of B.C. m7-1w

Removed to 43 Fort Street.

George Morison, druggist, owing to the demolition of his old quarters has removed to 43 Fort street, where he will carry on his business. He invites his old friends to call on him as usual. Prescriptions carefully compounded. A choice stock of hair brushes, sponges, perfumes, and toilet articles just received from New York. *mh8-1m

The Late F. E. DeVeuille.

The funeral of the late F. E. DeVeuille took place, yesterday afternoon, starting from the Masonic Temple, Douglas street, 2 at o'clock. Many members of the Masonic order were in attendance. The services were read by Worshipful Master J. E. Phillips, and the following master masons acted as pall bearers: Geo. Bishop, T. Robinson, E. W. Matthews, M. D. Richards, S. G. Harrison and R. J. Smith.

"False Friends."

This interesting and very successful drama was rehearsed last evening, and bids fair to be a good performance. Mr Adderley has toured with the piece in the provinces of England, and knows all the stage detail, consequently our amateurs may reasonably be expected to give a finished performance under his stage management. Monday, March 30th, is fixed for the date, under the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

Nelson Notes.

When the Vancouver Board of Trade resolutions asking the Legislature to refuse charters for a year to any railways in southern Kootenay reached Nelson, an indignation meeting was called, and a petition drawn up to the Local House, signed by 170 citizens. A letter was sent with this petition stating that a large number from the surrounding mines would sign and send down by next steamer. The people of Kootenay say they will not be dictated to by Vancouver, Revelstoke or Donald, or by the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Suicide at Vancouver.

E. Cairns, a young man who recently arrived at Vancouver from Fairhaven, committed suicide on Tuesday night by drowning himself in Burrard Inlet, toward the eastern city limits. His remains were found by a fisherman upon the beach. Cairns had been an inmate of St. Ann's hospital at New Westminster, as a lunatic, but was discharged as being cured on Tuesday. Shortly after returning to the house of D. O'Dwyer, the brother-in-law with whom he lived, he went quietly out and was not seen again till his body was found.

The Spring Salmon Fishing.

The fishermen generally, on the Fraser, are making active preparations for the spring fishing, and within a few days the river will be covered with boats. The usual licenses have not been issued yet, but all applications are in and the fees will be paid the moment the department is ready to grant the permits. Those fishermen who live on house scows during the season are moving their "floating palaces" up or down river to their usual fishing grounds, and are otherwise preparing for a busy year's work. There will be more boats fishing for spring salmon this year than ever before, the demand for both the local and export trade having increased very largely. The exporters have orders for more fish for daily shipment than is likely to be caught before the sockeye run begins, and this unusual demand will keep up the price beyond the usual period.—Columbian.

Osoyoos News.

Mr. H. S. Pittendrigh, manager of the Haynes Ranch, Osoyoos Lake, Okanagan, writing, under date of March 1st, to the Columbian, says the weather has kept remarkably moderate all winter, and has not been nearly so severe as last year. The coldest day to date of writing was February 27, when the thermometer registered two degrees above zero. The cattle are still on the winter ranges, and have not been fed an ounce of hay since last year, during the cold snap, and Mr. Pittendrigh has 500 tons of hay, which will go over to prevent loss next year. The young stock, of course, have been fed as usual. A great boom is expected in the Okanagan country in a few weeks, owing to construction on the Great Northern Railway. Another railway is spoken of, to come in by Kettle River, cross at Osoyoos and run along the Semilkameen to the east.

The Good Old Days.

L. G. McBean, of Chicago, brother of the sewerage contractor, is in the city spending a day or two, before going East over the Canadian Pacific. Pioneers will remember him as a former resident of Cariboo and of New Westminster. Mr McBean returned to Chicago in 1866, and has since resided there. This is his first visit to Victoria since that date, and last evening in the Driard office was also the first time in twenty five years that Mr. McBean and Messrs. Thos. and W. Laidlaw grasped hands in hearty clasp. The reminiscences recalled in conversation were most interesting to the listener, and one in particular referred to by the genial canner from Fraser river is worth recording: "Ah," said he, as a captain in the local militia came in and was introduced to Mr. McBean, "you do not know that Mr. McBean and myself were members of the Westminster Home Guard in the old days. He was major and I was ensign. There were some crack shots in our corps, and in a contest our company carried away all the honors. Why, Mr. Clarkson made twenty bulls-eyes in succession, and the Major and I came in with good scores also. Premier Robson was also a lieutenant. You make some good shooting now with the improved rifles, but I venture to say that the record of that rifle contest nearly thirty years ago has never been beaten." And so the chat went on and the interested listeners were treated to interesting bits of personal history. Times have changed and the young and brave spirits of these old days have grown old, but, as Mr. McBean remarked, they had not really aged, and one would not think so to hear their hearty laugh and see their faces light up at the reminiscences of the "days of old, the days of gold."

Mr. McBean will remain to-day in Victoria, and will then go over to visit Vancouver and Westminster.

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Information Wanted.

Postmaster Shakespeare has received a letter from David Smith, of Arncroach, Fifeshire, Scotland, inquiring for the whereabouts of his brother, Alexander B. Smith, who was in Victoria about two years ago; and also a letter from Mrs. Cecilia Cora White (formerly Mrs. C. C. Steell), of Detroit, enquiring for her brother who was in Vancouver, B.C., when last heard from.

Charged with Robbery.

Charles Mohen was arrested by Provincial Officer Robb, last night, on a charge of stealing twenty dollars' worth of clothes out of a cabin in Wellington. The accused says he came down from Wellington, last Tuesday, with another man, who left on the City of Kingston last night, and that he did not know anything about the robbery until arrested. Sergeant Langley intends sending the accused to Nanaimo for trial.

The Alaska Tourist Season.

According to the new time table issued by the Pacific Coast Steamship company they will run the steamships Queen, City of Topeka, and Mexico on the Alaska route during the spring and summer of 1891. The Mexico will sail on her first trip leaving Port Townsend on April 18th, and the Queen will sail on her first trip leaving Port Townsend on June 7th, making six round trips during the season.

The Jurors' Act.

The bill which Hon. Mr. Davie introduced, yesterday, in the Legislature, to amend the Jurors' Act, entitles special jurymen to $5 for each day's attendance, and grants $2 a day, instead of $1.50, to every petit juror residing west of the Cascade range, and $3, instead for petit jurors residing east of the Cascades. The fees to be paid to the registrar by the parties requiring jury trials in civil cases are also materially increased.

Roburite Explosives Co.

Yesterday's British Columbia Gazette contained the advertisement of the association of the "British Columbia Roburite Explosives Company, limited.' Their capital stock is placed at $50,000, in 500 shares of $100 each. The trustees are Messrs. James Dunsmuir, Hon. F. G. Vernon and John Wilson, all of Victoria. Their object is to acquire, for British Columbia, the invention of an improved explosive, called roburite, to manufacture it and other explosive substances and compounds, etc., etc., the company to exist for fifty years, with principal place of business at 28 Yates street, Victoria.

"The Sea King."

At the Victoria Theatre, opening Monday evening, an event which should claim the attention of all lovers of light opera will be Mr. William J. Gilmore's production, for the first time in this city, of the new comic opera, "The Sea King," which has already been witnessed and appreciated by the principal cities in the East. The music is said to be very bright and catchy, and of a melodious character. The story of a certain duke, who is so painfully ill-featured that he finds it impossible to get married, and it is on this theme that action of the opera occurs. The scenes being laid in Spain give exceptional opportunities for the display of some very beautiful dresses, as well as picturesque scenery. Mr. Gilmore is credited in this production as having given to the comic opera stage the most elaborate presentation of light opera seen for a long time. The sale of seats opens this morning at Waitt's book store.

Memoranda of Association.

Among the memoranda of association in the last number of the B.C. Gazette are that of the Pacific Traders and Navigation Company, of Vancouver, with a capital stock of $20,000, and the Nelson City Land and Improvement Company referred to in a previous number, the incorporators being Messrs. W. P. Sayward, C. T. Dupont, Joshua Davies, Edward Crow Baker, and Edward Mahon. The memorandum of the Victoria Canning company of British Columbia is also published. The capital stock is to be $500,000 in $100 shares, with power to increase to $1,000,000. The trustees are Messrs. R. P. Rithet, James A. Laidlaw, Thomas E. Ladner, Henry E. Harlock, Francis Page, John Irving, and Moritz Strouss. Their object is to acquire and take over the several fishing stations and canneries, and the business thereof respectively, known as follows, viz.: —The Laidlaw & Company, Fraser River, Dominion Brand; The Delta Canning Company, Fraser River, Maple Leaf Brand; The Harlock Packing Company, Fraser River, H. P. Brand; The Wellington Packing Company, Fraser River, Wellington Brand; The Standard Packing Company, Skeena River, Standard Brand; The Cascade Packing Company, Naas River, Cascade Brand; and the land, wharves, buildings, plant, nets, boats, machinery, stock in trade, trade marks, brands, leases, rights easements, and appurtenances of the said companies respectively, and to operate and carry on the same respectively, either in the name of the company or in the existing names of the said companies, or any or either of them; also to buy, catch, net, or otherwise acquire salmon and other fish, meat, and fruit of all kinds, and to can, preserve, and prepare the same for market, and to export and deal therein, and generally to carry on the business of fish, meat, and fruit canning in all their branches. Also to purchase or otherwise acquire and undertake all or any part of the business and property of any person or company carrying on any business now existing, or which may hereafter be established in British Columbia, which this company is authorized to carry on, or possessing property suitable for the purposes of the company.

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THE POOLE MURDER CASE.

The Assassin Proves to be an Indian Named Nemiah, Who is Now a Fugitive From Justice.

About 10 years ago an old-timer named Tom Poole, who, with his two children, lived on a farm between Pemberton meadows and Lillooet lakes, was found murdered. The bodies of the children, horribly mutilated, lay across their father's corpse in the cellar of the house, which had been burned over their heads after the horrible butchery. Suspicion rested on a neighbor named Graham, who was last seen near the ranch. He was arrested and tried in New Westminster for the crime, being afterwards acquitted. The provincial government offered a reward for the capture of the murderer, and there the case dropped and public interest gradually died out. Within the past few months certain discoveries have been made which go to show that Graham was really innocent, and the real murderer is an Indian chief named Nemiah, who two years ago murdered a Chinaman on the Fraser river, and has since been evading the authorities. About two weeks ago Nemiah quarreled with another Indian in his band, and the hands of the chief were almost stained with the blood of his third victim. Other Indians present seized and bound him, and immediately sent a message to B. Franklin, justice of the peace at Tatlae lake, that they had got Nemiah and wanted the authorities to come up and take him. On the receipt of this information, Franklin, accompanied by a posse of special constables, left immediately, only to find on arriving at their destination that their bird had flown. Nemiah's squaw had cut the ropes that bound him while the others were asleep. Making good use of his liberty, Nemiah took to the woods, where he is supposed to be at present. The party found that the Indian, Guishon, with whom Nemiah had the quarrel, was not dangerously injured. All the other Indians are willing to assist in the capture of Nemiah, or appear to be. Mr. Franklin traced him as far as he could, but had to give up the chase, provisions running short.

About the same time that Mr. Franklin started out, news was received at the 150 mile house and at Clinton. A party of three special constables left the former place, and are now reinforced by some of the settlers and four Indians.

THE TWO COLUMBIAS.

British Columbia Invited to Participate in the Chicago Exhibition of 1892.

In spite of the McKinley tariff and the emphatic declaration at the polls of the people of Canada that they are not prepared for that annexation which is veiled under cover of unrestricted reciprocity, the commissioners of the Chicago Exhibition to be held in Chicago in 1892, have concluded to place at the disposal of this province a certain amount of space in the building in which that great event is to take place. They have, in consequence, requested U.S. Consul Myers to lay their invitation before the people interested, and this he proposes to do through the Provincial Secretary and the Board of Trade, while all parties interested may obtain at his office any information which they may desire, the necessary facts and particulars having been forwarded to him. The state of Washington has already voted $200,000 towards the expense of collecting, preparing and placing on view as complete a collection as possible of her rich and varied productions; and it is not to be expected, that, to the measure of their capabilities, the people of the Canadian Pacific coast will be behind in their response. Anything that it may be deemed desirable to forward will be welcomed by the management, though agricultural and mineral products with manufactured articles will be specially preferred. The subject is one that deserves every consideration, as, upon the principle that judicious advertising always pays, here is an opportunity that should not be neglected.

THE BONANZA MINE.

A Wonderfully Rich Strike—Result of the Assay Made from Samples, Yesterday.

Mr. E. Bell, one of the owners in the Bonanza quartz mine, Cayoosh Creek, Lillooet, arrived from Clinton, Wednesday night, and brings news of a marvelously rich strike in the "Bonanza." He brought with him several pieces of the ore which are literally studded with gold. Were it not for the good authority of the Government Assayer, its richness might be doubted; but assays of two samples give as follows: No. 1 solid vein, 9,360 ounces, equal to $193,471; No 2 broken rock and dust from drill holes, 640 1-6 ounces, or $13,235.69 to the ton. It is unquestionably the richest find of gold quartz that has ever been reported in British Columbia. The owners of the mine had an offer to bond for $30,000 the day before the news of the strike came, but on arrival of the samples at Clinton, J. McB. Smith, one of the owners, received a telegram to stop all negotiations. The company, under the present cheering prospects, will await further development before they put any price upon their property.

Obituary.

Patrick McDonald, a native of Ireland, aged 55 years, and late of Nanaimo, died at St. Joseph's Hospital, yesterday. The funeral will take place on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Andrew's (Catholic) Cathedral.

Passengers and Consignees Per Islander.

The steamer Islander did not arrive till 2:20 this morning, being delayed at Vancouver waiting for mail and freight. Her passengers were:

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" 6 " James Bay	2,650	3½ acres Belcher St., beautiful site	12,000	" on Cadboro Bay Road	1,000 " 375
3 houses, 6 rooms, James Bay, each	1,900	½ acre, Oak Bay Avenue	1,200	" Work Estate	1,000 " 500
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The proposed consolidation of the breweries of British Columbia has been completed, through the instrumentality of Mr. John Mahrer, of Nanaimo, assisted by Mr. John Paulson, also of that place. The parties at the head of this movement are English capitalists, and the undertaking requires almost a million dollars of capital. The syndicate goes into operation about August 1st.

News of the Sealers.

The steamer Pilot returned, last night, from the Cape. Capt. Lawrence reports that, on Tuesday, he spoke the sealer Beatrice, which had 37 skins on board. She reported to him as follows concerning other sealers: Triumph, 137 skins; Mary Ellen, 115; W. P. Sayward, 112; Minnie, 65; Walter Rich, 40; Rosie Olsen, 30. The engineer had shot three seals from off the steamer. The weather was not favorable, but seals were plentiful.

Trail Creek Mines.

E. S. Topping, mining recorder of Trail Creek, is at the Clarence. He reports considerable work as having been done in this newly discovered camp. The ore is chiefly copper, carrying gold and silver, and the leads are from eight to 80 feet in width, most remarkable deposits. The ore averages 15 per cent. of copper. The principal lead can be traced on the surface over 12,000 feet. With good roads or trails the work of development would be greatly facilitated. Late news from Toad Mountain is of the most favorable character. The Silver King shows up better the further it is opened up.

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GEO R. JACKSON, (SUCCESSOR TO J. C. Leask). The leading Tailor, Turner block, 68 Douglas street. Fine dress suits a specialty. f-1

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Pride of the West, C.O.O.F., M.N.

Next Meeting, Friday Ev'g, March 13, at 7:30, at Temperance Hall, Victoria West. Members having candidates will hand in names to Dr. Wade, Government St., and notify same to repair for examination. Members and Candidates all meet at above place and date.

By order, V. E. OTTAWAY, N. G.

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FESTIVE FIGAROS.

Hair-Dressing in View of the Public for Prizes.

The Wild Scene Witnessed at a Tonsorial Exhibition in Paris — A Tremendous Row Caused by One of the Losing Competitors.

Before twenty-seven looking-glasses sat twenty-seven disheveled maidens, the glories of their toilets vailed by the familiar striped wrappers of the hairdresser's saloon, surrounded by hairpins, bandeaux, and—but why expose the secrets of the toilet? Enough to say that all was there necessary to the erection of a fashionable coiffure. Behind each stood a Figaro, expectant, tail-comb in hand, his snowy shirt-front and resplendent studs carefully protected by a silken kerchief, now executing valse steps to the preliminary strains of the band, now combing the tresses before him to the same accompaniment. This odd scene, says a Paris letter in the New York Sun, was at the ball of the Society of Progress in Hairdressing, and it was the outset of a prize competition. The signal is given. With lightning fingers the competitors proceed to work. In a trice fringes that lately hung dank and straight assume a puffy appearance. The spectator can not fail to note the careful powdering of the model's faces, for the electric light is trying, and observe how speedily a twist here, a curl there, and half a dozen skillfully placed pins add to feminine charms. It is all very serious. The "subjects" are models of gravity. Messrs. Louis, and Auguste, and Jaques, and Hippolyte indulge only in the facial contortions peculiar to their trade. Their young ladies and professional friends solemnly promenade to the music and await results with palpitating hearts.

"Gentlemen, the combs to the pockets," cries the president.

With a last pat here, a final fingering of the frizzes, and a farewell adjustment of feathers and flowers, the competitors whisk off the wrappers and the twenty-seven ball-gowned young ladies are revealed to us in all the glory of their elaborate coiffures.

"Gentlemen of the jury, will you do your duty?" is the stentorian command.

It sounds as if they were trying a murder case. Ah! the solemnity of the moment! There is no conversation, the music ceases, the excitement of the festive Figaros is alone manifested in their elevated eyebrows, uplifted shoulders and fierce mustache ends, working like the antennæ of the lobster. The prize is only to him who shall obtain seven votes. But, alas and alas! no one gains this number. No. 23 gets six, No. 1 gets three; the remaining four are frittered away between other competitors. Again and again the gentlemen of the jury "do your duty," and just as twenty-three seems to have grasped the golden cross of honor a wild crowd seizes hold of a diminutive, black-bearded individual, with a tail-comb protruding from his pocket, uplift him shoulder high, and No. 1, it is realized, is, after all, the lucky man.

Then a tremendous row ensues. The second prize has been handed to 23, but, with flashing eyes and a face whiter than shaving lather, he dashes it tragically to the floor, and with half-smothered yell, like a tiger balked of its prey, rushes at the unfortunate lady, whose tresses have served him in such good stead, and in another moment reduces the coiffure he has erected to rain. A confused mass of hairpins, "switches," marteaux curls, and an osprey alone remains of what was once so dear. To a man the festive Figaros pursue the baffled barber round the saloon, and, with groans and hisses, expel him from the scene. The honor of the society has been outraged. A compatriot and fellow-craftsman has made a sad exhibition of jealous rage and disappointment, and insulted the society.

Meanwhile, hairpins and looking-glasses have been swept away, the floor is cleared, and the Gallic hairdresser certainly does not take his pleasures sadly, for in the refreshment-room where bottled stout and cigarettes appear to be most in request, the friends of luckless No. 23 and the successful No. 1 exhaust themselves in gesticulations and arguments, while the paucity of the funereal black-edged programmes lashes many into exhibitions of fury which frequently threaten to develop into pugilistic interludes. As the writer departs a procession of ladies, who have been brought with hair already dressed in various historical and fashionable styles, is in course of formation, and suggests the idea that the revolving waxen dummies have escaped from the various hairdressers' windows to take part in the revels. But the last impression of the "Grand Concours Internationale and Ball" is of a haggard, ghastly apparition, hugging a brush and comb, a card-board box and a striped wrapper, and peering through the swing doors with wild eyes at the revels within. It was the fallen angel hovering around the gates of Paradise, the hapless No. 23.

An Humbled Vizier.

A traveler in Morocco tells, in "The Land of an African Sultan," the following story: "The Sultan, not long ago, discovered that one of his viziers was becoming too powerful. He therefore summoned him to tea, and complimented him on his great wealth. The vizier, becoming vain, boasted of the number of his houses, horses, wives, and slaves, and the Sultan rebuked him, saying that he was too rich and thought too much of himself. To show the man exactly what he was worth, his Majesty had him taken by soldiers to the slave-market, where he was put up for sale, and received only one bid of eightpence. He was then taken back to the Sultan, who said to him: 'Now you know your proper value—eightpence. Go home and ponder over it.' When the man reached home, however, he found that nearly all his property had been taken away by order of the Sultan. Only one small residence, one wife, one horse, and one slave had been left him."

THE TRAINING OF GIRLS.

They Are Deficient in Knowledge of Every-Day Affairs.

One very serious deficiency in the education of the average girl is her ignorance of the ordinary affairs of life. Nearly every man, whatever his profession, has a general knowledge of these things; he knows how the new building goes up, understands the principle of the steam engine, can tell why crops are rotated or explain the construction of a suspension bridge. As a result, he finds everywhere suggestions for thought, and his sympathies trained in many directions. This is because, when he was an intelligent boy, his attention was continually called to these things—a course of action which would never have been thought of had he been merely an intelligent girl. There is a feeling that all this kind of information is superfluous, if not positively out of place, in the training of young girls; so they grow up with their fields of observation and reading narrowed to a minimum, says a writer in Kate Field's Washington. On account of these lesser ignorances they find themselves surrounded by a world full of mysteries, of which the least unintelligible are clothes and servants. Is it any wonder that they fall back persistently upon the few concrete interests which seem to be within reach of their understanding?

There was a little flurry of discussion not long ago about "Why women read novels." Well, they read them for the same reason that men do, because novels are the best expression of the quality of modern life; and they read more of them than most men can, because they have more leisure. For exactly the same cause women read more poetry and more metaphysics than their husbands and brothers. The reason they do not read so many newspapers and serious periodicals is that they find them full of stumbling blocks, on account of the narrow limits of their education in practical affairs. How many women understand any thing about a new election law, or an improved system of drainage, or the condition of Irish politics, or the latest application of electricity? This ignorance is not the more excusable because it is shared by a great many men. It should be a part of every education, whether of girl or boy, to make a not too interesting world as amusing and suggestive as possible.

THE TIME TO RETIRE.

Regularity in the Hour to Be Observed Rather Than Earliness.

It is all nonsense about "beauty sleep" coming in the hours before midnight, and that the rosy cheeks of the country lass is the reward of retiring at the time when the proverbial pale-faced city girl's evening commences. The late hours of fashionable life would not necessarily scatter the roses from the cheeks if the late hour for retiring could be the same every night without variation. It is irregular hours and meals that cause pale and haggard faces. The handsomest couple I ever saw, says a writer in the Chicago Herald, retired regularly at half past eleven, and always indulged in a light lunch just before retiring. They were both pictures of health. The lady did not look over twenty-five, though she never hesitated to say that she was thirty-eight years old, and the husband looked at least ten years younger than he really was. They were both devotees to the laws of health. For years they have allowed nothing to interfere with the regularity of sleeping and eating hours. Almost the midnight hour was chosen for retiring, because it allowed them evenings at the theater and an hour or so at even the most fashionable receptions. When alone in their home they never indulged in an earlier hour, because then it unfitted them for entertainment of which they were very fond.

NAPOLEON'S ENEMY.

The Woman Whom the Emperor Most Hated.

The woman whom the Emperor Napoleon III. hated most on earth has just died, says the Boston Herald. During the brilliant days that followed the coup d'etat, Napoleon made countless efforts to live on good terms with the old nobility. There was no limit to the bribery, cajolery and even threats to which he resorted in order to induce them to frequent his brand-new court.

The Marquise de Castellane, whose death is just announced, took the lead in bidding him defiance. She not only refused to go to court herself, but she cut any of her acquaintances whom she knew to meet with favor there, and as her salon was the most charming in Paris, the chance of being excluded from it was not to be lightly encountered. The Marquise was a grand niece of Talleyrand, and it was through her influence that the great diplomat signed an act of retraction and became reconciled to the church of Rome. For some years she lived in retirement, but in earlier days she was one of the most brilliant and powerful of the grandesdames of Paris.

The Key-Chain Fad.

An Eastern fashion paper—the very highest authority upon such matters—says that key-chains are entirely out of fashion, and that only waiters in restaurants wear them. There are a few of them left in Kansas City, however. I saw a man with one of them on the other day, says a writer in the Kansas City Times. He sat down to his desk and unlocked it, leaving the key in the lock. He is a busy man, and is also rather absent-minded. The key ring was fastened to the back of his trousers tight enough for a trace-chain. The key-chain was stoutly built. In a few minutes he jumped up in a hurry and started somewhere. I heard a desk rattle, a chair upset, papers rustle, a chain snap, keys fly about on the floor and two or three rather fiercely muttered oaths. And then the man performed a war dance on the chain. He threw it out of the office; he reviled the man who gave it to him; he prayed for total blindness on the man who had invented key-chains, and I heard him say: "By gum! That's only the fifth time this week."

FINGERS OF STEEL.

They Are to Supplant Those of the Negro in Picking Cotton.

The essential feature is three hundred and thirty fingers or spindles projecting through and from a hollow cylinder. These fingers, says the New York Sun, are ten inches long, and have at the end a brush or tip of fine wire, and set in four grooves radially is horse hair, clipped so it projects from the fingers about one-twelfth of an inch, the tip and the hairs on the side being the means of getting the cotton from the bolls. The fingers or spindles are given a whirling motion by a system of cog gear inclosed within the cylinder. Moving forward, the cylinder revolves, the fingers come in contact with the cotton, the whirling motion of the fingers entangles the cotton lint and it is picked, then carried upwards and backwards until cleaned from the fingers by brushes, and thrown into receptacles holding sixty pounds of seed cotton.

The revolutions are so timed that the fingers which project at the spokes of a wheel strike the plant without a raking motion, for that would damage the plant. No injury comes to the leaf and boll from running the machine over the plant.

With a width of four feet, length seven feet and height of five and one-half feet, the machine, complete, weighs about twelve hundred pounds, and is of easy draught for two mules.

In the morning when the cotton was slightly damp, a gathering from one row made by the machine weighed a little more than thirty pounds; the waste, knocked on the ground by the machine, was picked up by hand and weighed five ounces. In the afternoon, with the cotton perfectly dry, the cotton picked weighed over twenty-eight pounds, and the waste picked up weighed nearly three and one-half pounds.

The time made was about five pounds a minute or three hundred pounds an hour. Allowing time, liberally, for emptying the receptacles, stopping for repairs, meals, and so on, the machine could easily work ten hours a day and would gather three thousand pounds at a total expense of not more than three dollars per day, making the total cost of the picking for each bale one dollar and fifty cents. At present prices the cost is fully sixteen dollars.

DESIRABLE SERVANTS.

Those with Afflictions Are the Most Tractable.

A lot of women were discussing the servant problem, says the New York Epoch, and one clever woman put forward an entirely new idea as the desirable requirements for a servant. "I have grown modest in late years," she said. "I no longer demand, as I used to, that my cook shall know how to cook, or that my waitress shall understand sewing—not at all. The one demand I do make in the servant who comes to me is that she shall have a grief. I advertise: 'Wanted, a cook with a grief—serviceable and warranted to last.' There's nothing that will make a woman so tractable and teachable as a grief. And, you see, a woman with an affliction doesn't want to be off nights like gay-hearted girls. She stays at home and nurses her sorrow and thinks up little things to do about the house meantime. Such a woman will accomplish a great amount of work. What kind of grief do I find most serviceable? A disappointment in love, if I treat it with deep consideration and respect, will last the longest—longer even than mourning for a dead husband. For widows, you know, are much like babies—they cry a good deal the first six months, then they begin to take notice, and they're very hard to bring through the second summer."

KANGAROOS FOR AMERICA.

A Project on Foot to Raise Them in This Country.

We are assured on what seems good authority, says the Helena (Mont.) Gazette, that the project of importing kangaroos into this country is seriously entertained by several enthusiastic and wealthy sportsmen of the West. The animals have been successfully acclimated in England and France, and we are assured that there is no reason why they should not thrive here. The practical extinction of the buffalo has left the plains without any big game of importance, and experienced sportsmen declare that hunting the kangaroo, as practiced in Australia, is second in excitement and interest only to killing the buffalo. The scheme is not without commercial importance. Kangaroo leather is a very valuable product and the animals breed rapidly. The promoters hope to be privileged to introduce the new game at the beginning of the warm season in the Yellowstone park, and so insure them for a few years' Government protection and immunity from senseless sportsmen.

Honey Bees Against Pigeons.

A novel contest of speed recently took place at Hamme, in Westphalia, pigeons and honey-bees being the contestants. The race was made on a wager that a dozen honey-bees liberated three miles from their hive would reach it in better time than a dozen pigeons would reach their cote from the same distance. The bees and pigeons were given wing at a village three miles from Hamme. The first bee finished a quarter of a minute before the first pigeon, and three other bees reached the goal before the second pigeon. The other contestants "finished in a bunch" a moment later.

Marriage in the Orange Free State.

According to the Natal Mercury there is a traffic in bridal parties to and fro across the romantic Orange river, and many boatmen reap riches. A man in the colony on one side of the Orange may not marry his deceased wife's sister. He may in the Orange Free State. In the Free State a man may not marry his cousin. He may in the colony. Hence, in the former case, all the men have to do is to cross the Orange river, where they can get married. In the latter case the cousins just cross the Orange river into the colony, where they can make themselves happy or miserable for life.

NOTICES.

ESTIMATES

FOR 1891.

A BY-LAW

Respecting the Expenditure of the Municipal Revenue for the Year 1891.

WHEREAS, the Council, as hereinafter mentioned, have caused an estimate to be prepared of the Municipal Revenue of the year 1891, and of the expenditure required for the service of that year, a copy of which estimate is hereunto annexed,

AND WHEREAS, it is expedient to authorize by By-Law, the expenditure of the said Revenue in accordance with the said estimate,

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED by the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows

1. It shall be lawful for the said Council to appropriate and expend the Municipal Revenue of the said Corporation for the year 1891, for the several purposes and in the manner named or indicated in the estimate hereunto annexed, or as nearly as circumstances permit.

2. All the expenditures hereunto incurred by the Council out of the Municipal Revenue for the said year are hereby confirmed.

This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as the "Estimates By-Law, 1891."

Passed the Municipal Council the 4th day of February, A.D. 1891.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 11th day of February, A.D. 1891.

JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.
[L. S.]
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

ESTIMATED REVENUE, 1891.

Cash on hand	$ 1,766
Water Rents	45,000
Fire Insurance Tax	8,000
Pound Fees	500
Real Estate Tax	125,000
Trades Licenses	22,500
Liquor	17,000
Road Tax	5,000
Dog Tax	350
Police Court Funds	5,000
Cemetery Fees	2,500
T. Storey	101
T. Russel	2,000
Weighing Machine	350
Sundry Items of Revenue	350
	$235,417 00
Arrears of Taxes, Jan. 1st, '91	25,838 90
	$261,255 90

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE, 1891.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Horse hose reel or wagon	$ 700
Driver for reel, 8 months, $60	480
Horse feed	1,152
Gas	700
Shoeing horses	250
Coal and wood	250
Stationery, printing, etc	100
Hydrants	1,000
Repairs	500
New boiler for Tiger engine	1,000
Hardware, oil, lanterns, etc	375
Harness, gum clothing, badges, etc	700
Lumber and labor	100
Telephones	216
Insurance	70
Exercise wagon	300
Zinc, bluestone, etc	300
Medical attendance on horses	100
Horse for reel and spare horse	450
Chief Engineer, $110 per month	1,320
Assistant Engineer, $30 per "	360
3 Foremen, $20 per month	720
2 Engineers, $80 per month	1,920
3 Drivers, $70 per month	2,520
1 Electrician and Tillerman	840
17 Call-men, $18 per month	3,672
	$ 19,895 00

POLICE.

Magistrate	$1,800
Clerk of the court	480
Superintendent	1,800
Sergeant, No. 1	1,200
Sergeant, Nos. 2 and 3, at $900	2,160
10 Constables at $75	9,000
9 Constables, average $071-2	1,050
	3,240
Uniforms—23 officers and men	2,070
Coal and gas	600
Printing and stationery	300
Telephone and telegrams	250
Keep of prisoners	1,600
Examination and passage lunatics	250
Blankets, buckets, brooms, etc.	150
Washing	50
Inquests and funerals	300
Interpreter	150
Incidentals	250
Renovating police court	500
Secret service	1,000
	$ 31,200 00

CHARGES.

Treasurer	$2,000
City Clerk	1,080
Assistant Clerk	1,080
Boy in office	300
Auditor	1,000
Assessor	1,800
Caretaker	720
Printing	1,500
Advertising	2,000
Sundries	3,520
	$ 15,000 00

SURVEY EXPENSES.

Surveyor	$1,800
Assistant Surveyor	1,080
Sundries	750
	$ 3,630 00

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Health Officer	720
Sanitary Officer	1,080
Men's wages and sundries	6,560
	$ 8,360 00

CEMETERY.

Keeper	$ 900
Secretary	240
Sundries	860
	$ 2,000 00

PARK.

Keeper	$ 780
Keep of animals	450
New work	1,770
	$ 3,000 00

(Latter amount to be refunded if Loan By-Law is passed.)

WATER WORKS.

Commissioner	$ 1,800
Collector	1,500
Assistant Collector	900
Caretaker at dam	720
Engineer at pump	240
Sinking fund	11,179
Interest	22,825
Sundries	5,836
	$ 45,000 00

LIBRARY.

Librarian	$ 900
Assistant Librarian	360
Sundries	1,240
	$ 2,500 00

STREET LIGHTING.

Wages	$5,000
Coal	2,500
Wire carbons	1,500
Sundries	3,000
	$ 12,000 00
Pound	1,220 00
Sinking funds and interest on all loans other than water works	29,173 78
Outstanding accounts	335 29
Government of B.C.	3,191 31
School tax	7,000 00
Legal expenses	2,000 00
Commission	700 00
Donations	1,500 00
General interest	5,000 00
Remuneration to Mayor and Aldermen	3,800 00
Water Works—$70,000 loan	2,355 84
Cemetery loan	370 00
Clock, and putting up same	5,000 00
Defining new city boundaries	1,500 00
Costs Colquitz water case	3,500 00
Furniture for city hall	1,500 00
Contingent fund	5,000 00
Advertising city in conjunction with Board of Trade	2,000 00

STREET SIDEWALKS.

2 Foremen	$1,800
1 Teamster	780
Engineer for Jumbo	960
Carpenter	1,500
Assistant Carpenter	900
Coal for Jumbo	750
Feed for horses	750
Rock crusher	750
	$ 8,190 00
Balance available for general purposes	9,445 78
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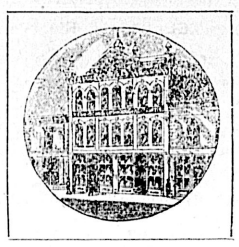

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REMOVAL.

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Has removed to new offices corner of Broad Street and Trounce Avenue. feb20tf

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an act to incorporate a Company to construct, maintain and operate a Steam Railway and Passenger Ferry between the Port of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and the Port of Port Angeles, in the State of Washington, in the United States of America, and for all powers, rights and privileges incident and necessary to such works.

Dated at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, the 7th day of March, A.D. 1891.

BELYEA & GREGORY,
mr8-tf Solicitors for the Applicants.

NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership hitherto existing between William Lyne, and John Lyne and George Evans, under the firm style of Lyne Bros., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent, the said George Evans having retired from the above firm. Wm. Lyne and John Lyne will and do from this date assume all responsibilities and pay all debts due by the above firm, and receive all moneys due them.

In witness whereof we have hereto set our hand and seal this 6th day of December, 1890.

(Signed.)
Sooke Creek.
Witness:
T. P. REED.
Witness:
R. L. SHAW.

(Signed)
GEORGE EVANS.
WILLIAM LYNE.
JOHN LYNE.

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NOTICE.

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, Thomas Watson Carter, have this day admitted William Fraser Tolmie into partnership in my business of a brewer. The business will be carried on under the new firm name of Carter & Tolmie. Thanking my past customers for their favors and soliciting for the new firm the trade of the public in general.

T. W. CARTER.

Victoria, 19th January, 1891. fe1

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session, for an Act continuing and extending the time within which the Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster Railway Company may construct its works; also, to reduce the capital stock of the company; and to authorize the building of branches of its railway on the South side of Fraser River to connect Liverpool and New Westminster with the termini of the company's railway at or near Canoe Pass and to Point Roberts Molo; and for other purposes.

YATES & JAY,
Applicants' Solicitors.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 17, 1891. ja18-2m

NOTICE is hereby given that the business of Vegetable Gardening and Traders carried on under the name of Ting Lee, at 35 Fisguard street, Victoria, has been merged into the new firm of Ting Lee & Brothers; the three brothers comprising the firm being Low Wing Yueen, Low Ho Yuen and Low Wy Yueen. All liabilities of the old firm are assumed and will be paid by the new firm.

Victoria, B.C., dated 2nd February, 1891.

fe3 1m TING LEE & BROS.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia for an Act to incorporate a company to construct, maintain and operate a line of railway from the City of Victoria to Beechy Bay, and to construct, maintain and operate a telegraph line in connection with the said railway, and for all necessary rights, powers and privileges.

CHARLES WILSON,
fe3-6w Solicitor for Applicants.

INTELLIGENT ANIMALS.

Instances of Reasoning Power In Elephants.

The Careful Manner in Which They Guard Children in Their Native Country—A Peculiar Trait of the Mammoth Brute.

"Every one knows that the elephant can be trained to do all kinds of work," says Thomas W. Knox in his volume entitled "Horse Stories and Stories of Other Animals." "While I have no hesitation about relating instances bearing on this statement, I prefer to tell of occurrences which indicate no actual reasoning power in the animal.

"It is customary in the settlements to water the cattle from large wooden buckets filled with water pumped from a well. This is done that they may not drink the water of the reservoirs, which is stagnant and unwholesome. Ordinarily the pumping is done at early morning by one of the elephants, the work taking nearly an hour. Accustomed to the task, he does not wait to be ordered, and every morning, an hour before sunrise, he is at his labor with the precision of a living alarm-clock.

"I was staying once at Trichinopoly, at the house of a friend of mine, a merchant, who owned a grand villa a few leagues outside the city. The sun was rising, and my servant had just awakened me for my bath. Passing through the yard I saw a large white elephant working at the pump. He closed his eyes sadly, and was apparently trying to turn his thoughts from his wearisome labor. He saluted my presence with a joyful flapping of his ears, for during the two days since my arrival I had given him many dainties, but he did not cease from his work, which had to be finished.

"I was stroking him with my hand in passing, when I noticed that one of the two planks which supported the bucket on either side had fallen away. It thus happened that the bucket, being upheld on one side only, spilled its contents, without a possibility of being filled.

"The elephant did not think that his work was ended because one side of the bucket was filled; nor did he attempt the impossible feat of trying to fill the other side until both sides were even. In a few minutes the water commenced to run from the lower side of the bucket, and the animal began to show signs of uneasiness; nevertheless, he continued to pump. Soon, however, he dropped the handle, and drew nearer to observe the cause of the trouble. He returned to the pump three times, each time coming back to examine the bucket. I awaited the end of this strange scene with unflagging interest. All at once a waving of the ears seemed to indicate that an idea had occurred to him.

"He came over to lift up the plank that had fallen away, and for a moment I thought that he intended to put it back in its place under the lower side of the bucket. But he was not troubled about the lower side, which was already filled with water; it was the other side which annoyed him. Lifting the bucket carefully, he supported it for a moment with one of his great feet, while with his trunk he pulled out the second plank and placed the bucket on solid earth, thus making it even on all sides. This done, the labor of filling it was easy.

"The elephant is much attached to the women and children in the villages, and it would be dangerous for a stranger to make even an unfriendly gesture in the presence of this animal.

"It is a remarkable sight to see him guard his master's children in their promenades; he watches every thing; beasts, serpents, turf pits and swamps, in fact, any danger which may be imagined is overcome by his presence. His pace is regulated by that of the children, and he attends them, gathering flowers, fruit from the trees and sugar canes; at a motion from one of them he will break a tree branch if one desires to make a whip or cane. At the slightest noise which he does not understand, if he sees a jackal or hyena in the distant thicket, he instantly gathers his brood under his trunk, commences to roar with rage, and any thing, lion, tiger or man, which threatens harm to his charges, is in danger of being dashed to the ground.

"In the lowlands of the Ganges, a swampy country covered with jungles and rice fields, the royal Bengal tiger is found of great size and ferocity. The combats between this terrible beast and the elephant, guarding the cattle, servants or children of his master, are of almost daily occurrence. The royal Bengal tiger is so fierce that he never refuses to fight his adversary, although the end of the combat generally finds him crushed to death under the feet of his terrible enemy. In spite of the fact that the elephant is an unpitying foe in his battles with the tiger, bear or rhinoceros, he never molests the smaller, inoffensive animals. No matter what power a keeper may have over him, it is impossible to make him crush an insect.

"There is a little insect which children in France call 'les betes a bon Dieu.' The same insect is found in India, but growing to a size twice as large as in France. I have often seen one of these little creatures placed on a level surface, in the troughs of a yard, for instance. I have seen the elephant ordered to crush the insect, but never, for master or driver, would he lift his foot above it in passing by, evidently avoiding any opportunity to do harm. If, on the contrary, he is commanded to bring it to you, he will pick it up delicately with his trunk and place it in your hands without bruising its wings."

The Climate of Asia.

According to the North China Herald the climate in East and West Asia is becoming colder. That of China in particular is growing not only colder, but drier. Animals and plants used to hot, moist regions are gradually retreating southward. Two thousand years ago the bamboo flourished in the forests of North China, but it does not now, and at Pekin it is only cultivated under shelter and in favorable localities as a kind of garden plant.

AN INTELLIGENT ROOSTER.

He Is Deaf and Dumb, But Is Able to Take His Own Part.

A gentleman living on the outskirts of the city, near Black Rock, owns a curiosity the like of which Barnum never dreamed of, says the Buffalo (N. Y.) Express. It is a deaf-and-dumb rooster — a full-grown, brilliantly plumed, brown Leghorn chanticleer — that has lost his voice, can neither crow nor cluck, nor make any other audible sound with his vocal apparatus; does not wake up the neighborhood at five o'clock in the morning with an everlasting cock-a-doodle-doo; does not give an alarm of hawks every time a black cloud crosses the sun, but is still as much the lord of the chicken park as ever.

He has not always been thus. Up to the time he was eight months old he was as noisy as any young rooster need be. Then he got his head caught in a barbed-wire fence in such a way as to mangle his neck and probably tear out the vocal cords. Losing the power to make sounds, he evidently forgot how to hear them. At least now, at the age of three years, he gives no evidence of hearing. But he makes his eyes answer for ears and voice, too. If any one wanted proof that he was really deaf and dumb, those eyes would be convincing. There is nothing he does not see. When the first glow of sunrise appears he begins the duties of the day by rousing all the rest of the fowls in the hennery in his own original way. He walks around to each one, and kicks it off its perch. There is no resisting such an invitation to get up. It's much more effective than crowing. When he gets a challenge to fight he does not stop to announce what he can do. He goes and does it. And his battles are all victorious.

The most remarkable thing about this intelligent bird, however, is the fact that, though deaf, he can distinguish betwen an admonition to "shoo" and a request to come to dinner. How he does it is a mystery, but it is believed that he tells by the motions of the lips and general attitude of the person who addresses him.

A course of instruction in a deaf-and-dumb institute is all this rooster needs to learn to talk with his spurs.

THE STRUGGLE FOR WEALTH.

Money a Potential Factor in Most of the World's Misery.

What is the most active factor of evil in this country at the present time? It is not drunkenness, nor licentiousness, nor infidelity. It is not bad politics, and it is not any thing that is disreputable and under the ban. It is simply the prevailing craze for wealth, and nothing else. From childhood to old age the average man thinks of nothing but money-getting. Everybody is impatient to make a fortune in a hurry. Naturally people take what Sam Jones calls the "nigh cuts." No man can love money and long retain a conscience and good principles.

The struggle for wealth, says the Atlanta Constitution, is ruining and killing people. During the panic the other day, a broker dropped dead in Wall street. Another broker in New York, a few days before, killed himself. It was all about a matter of money. Look at our defaulting Southern State Treasurers, Vincent, Tate, Burke and Hemingway They are now disgraced, dead, in prison or in exile. Money was the cause. And there are worse things. Woolfolk, who died on the gallows a few days ago, murdered his whole family in the hope of getting money. And Birchall, just over the line in Canada. Think of his case. A clever, well-educated young fellow, of good family, with a pretty and devoted wife. For the sake of a few hundred dollars he decoyed a man into the swamp, and shot him down like a dog! All for money. Then there was Selby Jones, of Kansas City, who committed suicide the other day. He wanted to move in the best of society, and the result was a shortage in his accounts of seventy-five thousand dollars. When detection stared him in the face he took a leap in the dark. Money again. Besides these bold fellows we have a few million sneaks and robbers who keep inside of the law, and grind their fellow-men, and resort to Shylock methods to fill their pockets. When one thinks of all these things the money devil begins to loom up a very potential factor. He is the cause of most of the crime and misery of our day.

SYMPATHY FOR DESERTERS.

A Case in Which It Worked the Object Injury Rather Than Good.

Not one deserter in fifty is caught, and the unwillingness of citizens to give information that will lead to their apprehension sometimes leads to curious complications. Some years ago, says an officer in the United States service, a young graduate from West Point was sent to the West and detailed for special duty with a squad of Indian scouts. So long as he was with his party he, of course, was able to keep his bearings, but one day, returning from an expedition into the mountains, the party stopped for dinner, and, after dining, he directed the Indians to go on to the post, while he would follow an hour or two later. Not accustomed to the mountains, he lost his way. The Indians came to the post without him and reported that he had not overtaken them, but as they were directed to go on they obeyed orders and did not return to search for him. A day or two passed, and as no news came of the missing officer, his friends, who esteemed him highly, sent out the Indians to trace him up and find him. They followed his trail for two hundred miles and repeatedly had news of him, as he was seen by miners and prospectors, but could get no information from them as to the direction he had taken, as he was supposed to be a deserter from the army, and no one would aid the soldiers to run him down. He was found at last, after over a week's wandering, almost dead and out of his head with hunger, thirst and exposure, all of which he owed to the general sympathy for deserters, for had the civilians aided the scouts he might have been overtaken in a few hours.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, B. C., March 13, 1891.

Sun rises.....6:17 a.m. | Sun sets.....6:02 p.m.
Moon rises 10:35.

Day of the year, 72nd.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13 m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, March 12, 1891.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p. m.

1 a. m.,	32°	Mean 42°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	35°	Highest 50°	5 a m.-12 miles N.
9 a. m.,	42°		1 p.m.—12 miles N. E.
1 p. m.,	48°	Lowest 31°	9 p.m.—Calm.
5 p. m.,	47°		Rain—
9 p. m.,	45°		

Average state of weather—Fair.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—A J McDougal, Chas Spinner, D B Littlefield, E S Cooper, F C Smith, Mrs Smith, J W Skivior, M Mace, Mrs Cornelius, A Wald, W Newton, J B Stewart, P Peters, L Montgomery, J Montgomery, Joe Beach, B Wattake, C J Smith, B Campbell, Mrs. Davy, L Anderson, J Crasten, C F Finley, Mary Moran, C Kempker, A H Brown and wife, Wm Johnson, E Norman, A Skindady, L Bank, M Johnson, Geo Carmon, D McLeod, Dr S H Carnay, Miss Carnay, F H Thayer, Mrs Thayer, W T Harvey, Mrs Jones, T Lubbe, Ah Tune.

Per str. NORTH PACIFIC from the Sound: O Hadlin, A V Strouich, A H Barker, E Maxwell, L J Peterson, E Hilton, D H Law, C H Peck, F M Edwards, B Sunberg, Jno Delin, D Morse, Mrs Ardonoch, J C Ragsdale and wife, R E Speer, F M Yorke.

Per str. PRINCESS LOUISE from Westminster T E Ladner, W H Ladner, S Hemans, J K Kirkland, J Thompson, J Forfar, W A McLean, C Dundy, R Johnson, A Yersa, H Thomas, Rev A C Brant, H Campbell, H Cook, J Bourline, Y Jap, Lain Fong, Goon Gan.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer NORTH PACIFIC from the Sound Holbrook & Warren, P McQuade & Sons, E Andern ch.

Per str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—Kilgoin Bros, J Piercy & Co, Henry Young, Royal City P M Co, J E & Co, Valo & Brooks, Hodges & Hay, George Hudge, M W Waitt & Co, J Sommers, J Barnsley, Johnson W & Flett, Marvin and Tilton, J Weiler, J Sehl Albion Iron Works, E G Prior & Co, Lenz & Leiser.

Per Str. PRINCESS LOUISE from Westminster B C Cattle Co, H Cornstein, J Jackson, L Goodacre, W A McLean, C Lundy, Hudson Bay Co, Weiler Bros, G Tollick.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

INWARDS.

Str. Islander.....from Vancouver.
" North Pacific..... " Port Townsend.
" City of Kingston.... " " "
" Maude..... " Nanaimo.

OUTWARDS.

Str. Islander..... for Vancouver.
" North Pacific..... " Port Townsend.
" City of Kingston.... " " "
" Maude..... " Nanaimo.
" Mary Anne..... " Prevost Island.

LOCAL.

Str. Maude arrived yesterday morning with a large quantity of coal for the C. P. N. Co., from Nanaimo.

Str. Danube is busy taking on her cargo for Port Essington and way ports.

Schr. Adele expects to leave for the west coast this morning.

The steamer Eureka has arrived at Port Townsend from Alaska ports. She brought a cargo consisting of 300 barrels of salmon and several hundred bundles of skins. Immediately upon the arrival of the AlKi from Nanaimo the Eureka will exchange crews, and the former sail to San Francisco while the latter will proceed to Portland, whence she will proceed north on her last trip. The Eureka will also be withdrawn from the Alaskan route, being succeeded by the Mexico.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

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The Autoharp.

Messrs. M. W. Waitt & Co. desire us to state that the Autoharp or simplified Zither mentioned by us in Sunday's issue, as being a new musical instrument, has been handled by them for the past two years, and that they have sold large numbers of them, in the city and in different parts of the province. The above instrument being so simple requires no teaching, as a child can learn to play it in 5 minutes. Prices, $5, $6 and $7.50. For sale at Waitt's Music Store. *

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"I certify that little Robbie Hale, of 466 Portland Avenue, St. Paul, was a thin, crying baby from his birth until he was given Castoria. He began to improve from the first week's trial. Has taken 3 bottles; is perfectly well weighed 30 pounds he day he was 7 months old, and when this picture was taken. Robbie's changed condition has caused many mothers to use Castoria. It is the best thing for babies I have ever known."

FANNIE MULLIN, Professional Nurse.
466 Portland Ave.,
St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 4, '887.

"This is a picture of my twins, Charlie and William. It was taken when they were 5½ months old. They weigh 16 pounds each. I am indebted to Castoria for their uniform good health."

MRS. HERMINE SCHULZE.
1629 Lexington Ave.,
New York, May 18th, 1887.

"I enclose you photographs of my 'triplets,' 2 boys and one girl - Maggie, Pete and Willie. I owe their health and strength to Castoria. It was through my neighbors' urgent appeals that I commenced its use, as both my boys were thin and inclined to be sickly. At present they are fat and hearty, they weigh 8, 8½ and 9½ pounds, and are 2 months and 3 days old."

MRS. MARY KLINGNER.
726 Cortland Ave.,
New York, May 23rd, 1887.

"I enclose you photograph of my quartette, 4 girls They are now 7 weeks. The smallest weighs 5 pounds, the others 8 pounds each. My other children have all gained health and strength from the use of Castoria, and I have already commenced giving it to my four little darlings."

MRS. ANNA DE GROOTE.
Milbury, Mass., Nov. 15, 1888. mr8-5t

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NOTICE.

APPLICATION will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an Act empowering the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to take and use lands requisite for carrying on the telegraph business authorized by its Charter and assimilating its powers in other respects to those given to companies incorporated under "The Electric Telegraph Companies Act." dc30 w-2m

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described tract of land, for lumbering purposes, situated in New Westminster District, about 2½ miles northeast from the head of Howe Sound: Commencing at a post 20 chains due south from the northeast corner post of Lot 515, G. I. New Westminster District; thence due south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains to the place of beginning, and containing 160 acres.

MUIRHEAD & MANN
Victoria, Dec. 16, 1890. de8-1m d

NOTICE.

THE public are notified that we will not be responsible for debts contracted by Mrs. Mary Lequime.

B. & L. LEQUIME,
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MEDICAL.

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A BY-LAW

Respecting the Expenditure of the Municipal Revenue for the Year 1891.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Finance Committee of the said Council to arrange for and obtain a credit, by way of overdraft upon current account with the Bank of British North America, to an amount not exceeding in the whole the sum of $150,000, including the now existing overdraft, at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum.

2. All moneys so overdrawn shall be used for the ordinary current expenditure of the said Corporation, and shall be repaid to the said Bank on or before the 31st day of Dec mber, 1891, out of the Municipal Revenue of the said Corporation for the current year.

3. This By-Law may be cited as the "Bank Credit By-Law, 1891."

Passed the Municipal Council the 4th day of February, 1891.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 11th day of February, A.D. 1891.

JOHN GRANT, Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
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TIME TABLE No. 13,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Saturday Oct 11th, 1890. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.		STATIONS.		No. 3 Passenger Saturdays and Mondays.
Ar 12.21	22	VICTORIA	Lv 2.30	Ar 5.58
" 12.50	24	RUSSELLIN	2.04	" 5.34
" 12.59	27	GOLDSTREAM	1.55	" 5.24
" 11.45	35	HAWKIGAN	1.10	" 4.21
" 10.50	45	COBBLE HILL	12.15	" 3.59
" 10.40	47	McPHERSON'S	12.05	" 3.49
" 10.27	49	KOKSILAH	11.52	" 3.41
" 10.17	50	DUNCAN'S	11.42	" 3.34
" 10.12	38	SOMENOS	11.37	" 3.24
" 10.02	35	CHEMAINUS	11.27	" 3.12
" 9.38	28	NANAIMO	11.03	" 2.1
" 8.33	5	WELLINGTON	10.00	Dp 9.0 P.M
Ar 8.27				
Dp 8.10 A.M.				

GOING NORTH READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	Miles from Victoria.	STATIONS.	Miles from Victoria.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays and Mondays.
Dp 8.00 A.M		VICTORIA	1	Dp 2.30 P.M
" 8.04	1	RUSSELLIN	4	" 2.24
" 8.31	7	GOLDSTREAM	8	" 3.00
" 8.39	11	HAWKIGAN	18	" 3.09
" 9.34	28	COBBLE HILL	31	" 4.04
" 9.44	31	McPHERSON'S	35	" 4.14
" 9.57	35	KOKSILAH	38	" 4.29
" 10.07	38	DUNCAN'S	40	" 4.39
" 10.12	40	SOMENOS	43	" 4.44
" 10.22	43	CHEMAINUS	52	" 4.51
" 10.48	52	NANAIMO	73	" 5.16
Ar 11.50	73	WELLINGTON	78	" 6.14
Dp 11.30				Ar 6.00
Ar 11.41 A.M.				

On Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return not later than Monday evening.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points good for three days, including day of issue.

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A. D. CHARLTON,
Ass't Gen. Pass. Agt.,
121 First st., corner Washington, Portland, Or
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NOTICES.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 1725, 1726 and part of Lot 182 E, Victoria City; and the East half of Suburban Lot 52, Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to hereditaments will be issued to Carlo Bossi on the 7th day of May, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or any part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
28th February, 1891. mr1-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 41 and 42, Block E, Victoria West, Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to the above Lots will be issued to Richard H. McKay, on the 6th day of June, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 5th December, 1890. mr6-3m

NOTICE

ALL PERSONS indebted to the late firm of John Weiler, prior to January 31st, are hereby requested to call and settle their account at once at the office of Weiler Bros.

Victoria, Feb. 24, 1891. fe22-12t

DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Joseph H. Baker and Jerome E. Church, under the firm name of J. H. Baker & Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business will henceforth be carrried on by the said Joseph H. Baker, who assumes all liabilities of the late firm and to whom must be paid all credits due to the said firm.

J. H. BAKER.
fe27 J. E. CHURCH.

NOTICE.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between William Croft and McClure Powers, in the Brown Jug Saloon has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; Mr. Croft retires from the business; Mr. Powers assumes all liabilities and collects all debts accruing to the said firm.

W. CROFT.
M. POWERS.

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC R'Y

-:- GLOBE CIRCLING TOURS -:-

AROUND THE WORLD

—FOR—

$600.00.

Including Meals and Berths on Rail and Steamers.

EMPRESS OF JAPAN,
Leaves Liverpool between April 1st and 15th

EMPRESS OF CHINA,
Leaves Liverpool between May 1st and 15th.

For pamphlets, etc., apply to

A. CAMERON, Agent, Government St., Victoria.
D. E. BROWN, Asst. Gen'l Pass. Ag't, Vancouver.
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PACIFIC COAST S. S. CO.

DESPATCH A STEAMER EVERY FIVE days for San Francisco, carrying Her Majesty's mails, from Outer Wharf at 11 a.m.

Walla Walla, - - March 15

R. P. RITHET & CO., Agents
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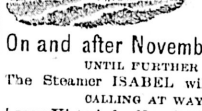
ESQUIMALT AND NANAIMO RAILWAY



Steamer ISABEL

J. E. BUTLER, Master.

On and after November 19th, 1889, UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

The Steamer ISABEL will sail as follows, CALLING AT WAY PORTS:

Leave Victoria for Nanaimo, Tuesdays, 5.00 a.m.
" Nanaimo " Comox, Wed'days, 7.00 "
" Comox " Nanaimo, Fridays, 7.00 "
" Nanaimo " Victoria, Saturdays, 7.00 "

For freight or passage apply on board. fe6

BRITISH BARK "SCOTTISH BARD"

CAPT. CHARLESON, FROM LONDON.

All claims against this vessel must be sent to the undersigned not later than Tuesday, 3rd March.

R. P. RITHET & CO. (LTD.), Consignees.
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From London for Victoria Direct.

The 100 A 1 Iron Barque "WANLOCK"

745 TONS REGISTER,

will sail from London for Victoria direct on May 10th.

For particulars apply to

TURNER, BEETON & CO., Wharf Street.
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FOR THE NORTH

C.P.N. Co's Steamer "DANUBE" (CAPTAIN WALBRAN)

Will leave Turner, Beeton & Co's Wharf, for FORT SIMPSON AND WAY PORTS On Wednesday, March 4th, at 6 o'clock p m.

For freight or passage apply at the office of the Company, Wharf street, Victoria, B.C.

The Company reserves the right to change this notice at any time without notification.

fe21-td JNO. IRVING, Manager.

CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION COMPANY, (Limited.)

Time Table No. 13, takes effect July 17, 1890.

Vancouver Route:
Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday at 3 o'clock, a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 14:30 o'clock or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2, going east Monday.)
For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays, at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route:
Steamers leave New Westminster for CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:
Steamships of this Co. will leave or Fort Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:
Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports when sufficient inducements offer.

Bute Inlet Route:
Steamer RAINBOW leaves every Tuesday at 7 a. m. for Cowichan, New Westminster, Burrard Inlet, Bute Inlet and way ports.
The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification. Steamers leave by Standard time.

JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent. jy25

For Health, Comfort and Economy

Have your doors and windows fitted with "The Champion" Weather Strip.

It will keep out dust, draft, wind, rain and snow, stop the excruciating noise of rattling sashes and doors, preserve the carpets and furniture and diminish the fuel bill. Sold and fitted by

J. P. BURGESS,
10 Broughton Street.

THE FOLLOWING DESIRABLE PROPERTIES FOR SALE

AND WILL BE SOLD ON TERMS TO SUIT PURCHASERS:

1st. All that well known residence and grounds situated in the city of Victoria, and known as "Maplehurst."

2nd. All those lots and residence situated on Pandora and Cormorant Streets, the property of Joseph Lowen, Esq.

3rd. All that desirable House and Lot known as No. 16 Young St.

4th. All that valuable Estate, containing 4,300 acres of Coal and Agricultural land, situated on Denman Island, and being within a short distance of the celebrated Wellington Coal Mines.

FOR MAPS AND FURTHER PARTICULARS APPLY TO

BOURCHIER, CROFT & MALLETTE,

BROKERS.

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The Colonist.

FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 1891.

LITTLE LOCALS.

The spring assizes, in Victoria, will open on the 18th of May.

T. J. Partridge is confined to his residence by a severe attack of illness.

For shaving materials, etc., go to Fox's, 78 Government street. tf

Carpenters' and Gardening Tools at Cheapside. *

WEEKLY COLONIST ready to-day. Copies can be had at the office, ready for mailing if desired.

The steamer Louise, yesterday afternoon, brought in from the Fraser 72 head of cattle, 55 hogs and 10 horses.

Stoves and cutlery at Cheapside. *

The Lyceum is the best public hall in the city for concerts, meetings, etc. *

T. H. Perrsse, the tenor singer in the Sea King Co. is an old resident of Winnipeg, and a great favorite.

The steamer Edith, which was recently sunk at Port Ludlow, is to be raised and brought to Victoria for repairs.

See the fine assortment of enamelled ware at R. A. Brown & Co's, 80 Douglas street. *

For spring medicine use Beggs Blood Purifier, 100 doses for one dollar, at Cochrane & Munn's. 1m

Frank Campbell's hosts of friends will regret to learn of his serious illness. He is suffering from congestion of the lungs.

One effect of the Sachs' gambling case is that the Port Townsend police are now closing all games and arresting the gamblers.

A large assortment of bird cages just opened at R. A. Brown & Co.'s 80 Douglas street. *

Madras Certains and others in great variety, and lowest prices, at Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street. *

Alaskan advices say the past winter has been one of the mildest ever experienced in that section, and great preparations are being made for the coming mining season.

The machinery of the new clock was delivered at the City hall yesterday. The large bell (Victoria's "Big Ben") was inspected by scores of people as it was being removed from the truck.

London Hospital Cough Cure is the sovereign remedy for coughs and colds. Cochrane & Munn, druggists. 1m

See the 300-candle power and other lamps at R. A. Brown & Co's, Douglas street. *

The baseball meeting held in Philharmonic hall, last night, was well attended, and, after considerable discussion, it was decided to postpone the election of officers for the new club until next meeting.

On Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Joseph Rhode, farmer of Happy Valley, near Metchosin, arrived at St. Joseph's hospital, having been seriously injured in the right leg by the accidental discharge of a rifle which he was carrying.

A nice line of pocket knives, razors, scissors and table cutlery, just opened at Fox's, 78 Government street. tf

180 pieces of John Crossley & Sons celebrated Tapestry and Brussels Carpets; also large line of Hearth Rugs just received by Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street. *

At the Albion Iron Works they are making good progress with the air-compressing engine for the Wellington mines. They expect to begin almost at once upon the machinery required for the sewerage works.

Last Thursday evening, the "First B. C. Society of Spiritualists" held their regular monthly business meeting in Harmony hall. It was then decided by the society to hold their anniversary dance on the 26th inst., upon which occasion the members of the society and their friends will undoubtedly spend an enjoyable evening.

The Union Steamship company, of Vancouver, have chartered the steamer Tai Chow, to ply between Vancouver and Portland, in connection with the new Canadian Pacific railroad steamers. She will leave Yokohama about the end of March, and will be ready to bring up a cargo for the Empress of India.

KARL KOSCHE, wig maker and hairdresser, takes pleasure in notifying his customers and the public in general, that he is ready for business again. Hair cutting a specialty. No shaving. Mrs. Kosche will attend to the ladies' department. A well selected stock of hair goods and ornaments on hand. Theatrical wigs and beards for hire. 31 Government st., Victoria. ja11-2m

Some of the master tailors of Victoria have, it is said, come to the conclusion that the "devil's among the tailors," whose new price list involves an increase of cost to their employes of about 35 per cent. Those who wear clothes will, as a matter of course, be forced to fall in should the "bosses" accede, the alternative being a strike. The latter meet to-day to consider the situation.

A Natural Filter.

THE liver acts as a filter to remove impurities from the blood. To keep it in perfect working order use B. B. B., the great liver regulator.

I used two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters for liver complaint, and can clearly say I am a well woman to-day.

MRS. C. P. WILEY, Upper Otnabog, N. B.

Three Yards for $1.

One yard wide English Drugget Carpet. Russell, McDonald & Co. *

PROVINCIAL NEWS.

Smelting Company Organized at Nelson With a Capital Stock of Half a Million.

A Man at Ladner's Charged With Starving His Daughter—Case of Infanticide.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 12.—The first shipment of salmon to the East went forward, to-day, consigned to a firm in New York.

The up-river steamers resume their trips to-morrow, the river being now clear all the way up.

A man was tried at Ladner's yesterday on a charge of hastening the death of his infant daughter by starving her and keeping her in a cold room without proper clothing. The magistrate reserved his decision for eight days.

The body of a newly born infant was found on the premises of a man named Hamphill, on the North Arm road, yesterday. Hamphill had only occupied the premises for a week, the former occupant being a man named Bull, who left two weeks ago. Hamphill noticed the package several days ago, but did not open it until yesterday, as it appeared to be only a bundle of old clothes. The baby had evidently been killed by a blow on the temple. An inquest will be held, and Mr. Moresby is investigating the affair.

KOOTENAY.

NELSON, B.C., March 12.—A smelting company was organized at Nelson, on Saturday (capital stock five hundred thousand dollars), to build a complete reduction works at the Falls, on Cottonwood Smith Creek, provided that the Government will grant it a site at that place. Large blocks of the stock were sold in this vicinity.

PERSONALS.

F. Harvey, of Kamloops, is in town.

E. S. Hooper, of Philadelphia, is in town.

D. Banks, of Seattle, is at the Occidental.

S. H. Carney and Miss Carney, are at the Driard.

W. G. Harvey, of St. Johns, is at the Occidental.

W. H. Roden, of Seattle, is staying at the Driard.

C. Spinner, of Portland, is staying at the Oriental.

Thos. Lubbe returned from the Sound, last evening.

E. S. Forester, of London, England, is at the Oriental.

A. Claustin, of St. Paul, is a guest at the Clarence.

Thos. Styles and Ald. Coughlan have left for San Francisco.

T. E. and W. H. Ladner came over from Westminster, yesterday.

J. C. Rajedale and wife, of St. Louis, are guests at the Driard.

Robert B. Johnson, of Brantford is a guest at the Colonial.

C. J. Smith, of the Oregon Improvement company, is in town.

B. Campbell, traffic manager of the Union Pacific, is staying at the Driard.

F. E. Edwards, of Seattle, and O. Holland, of Tacoma, are guests at the Colonial.

The simplest musical instrument is the "Autoharp" at Waitt's Music Store.

Instruction Free on the "Autoharp" at Waitt's.

The new and popular game of Tiddledy Winks, price 40 and 80 cents each at T. N. Hibben & Co.

JOHN DOHERTY, GENERAL SCAVENGER.

Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Mr. G Doughty, cor. Blanchard and Fort streets, Fell & Co.'s, Fort street, or Cochrane & Munn's, Yates and Douglas sts. will be promptly attended to. Wood and Coal for sale. *ap26-1y

Dark and Sluggish.

DARK and sluggish describes the condition of bad blood. Healthy blood is ruddy and bright. To cure bad blood and its consequences and to secure good blood and its benefits in the safest, surest and best way, use Burdock Blood Bitters, strongly recommended by all who use it as the best blood purifier.

New Arrivals.

A large shipment of "Autoharps" has just been received at Waitt's Music Store.

Pax Vobiscum, by Drummond	50c.
The Greatest Thing in the World, by Drummond	50c.
The Plunger, by Hawley Smart	60c.
A Hidden Foe, by G. A. Henty	30c.

For sale by T. N. Hibben & Co.

Stanley Books.

STANLEY books are now as common as coughs and colds. To get rid of the latter use Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, the best Cough remedy for children or adults. It cures, by its soothing, healing and expectorant properties, every form of throat and lung trouble, pulmonary complaints, etc.

"Autoharps" at Waitt's Music Store.

You will save 25 per cent. by buying "Autoharp's" at Waitt's.

A PROPOSED PATRIOTIC LEAGUE.

TO THE EDITOR:—Now the excitement created by the recent elections is slowly dying out, it may be well for us to consider what the aspect of the general issue was. That the Liberals were desirous (if elected) of taking the first step towards the ultimate surrender of their country to the United States seems an undoubted fact. I will not discuss at length the various pros and cons as to the advisability of the annexation scheme, as everyone must have already formed their opinions. But I will quote from the London Times, an impartial witness, in a very admirable leading article in its issue of the nineteenth February, stating the advantages and disadvantages Canada would secure by her admission into the Union. It says:

"But the Canadian people ought to be fairly dealt with by their politicians, and not jockeyed into annexation on false pretences. Let the advantages be set forth, but let it also be plainly stated that in order to gain them the sentiment of loyalty to the crown must be sacrificed and with it some not insignificant benefits."

The article goes on to prove, and to most people conclusively, that "instead of Canada having a sixty million market, the sixty millions would gain a new five million market," and that either by commercial or political union Canada "would be shut out from the markets of the rest of the world." Thanks, however, to the patriotic feeling of the majority of the Canadian people, the nation is safe for the present.

It is said by Professor Goldwin Smith and others that Canada must in the future, some time or other, be forced into political union with the United States. Now, though we will hope the day will never come when Canada is led like a cow into the Yankee pound; I would propose that, to guard against the possible betrayal by traitors of the Dominion of Canada, let a loyal and patriotic union be formed in Canada of all true British subjects. Let it be something after the fashion of the Primrose League in England, which is devoted to the Conservative cause; but let its one object be the preservation of the Dominion from the annihilating result of annexation and the abandonment of the empire.

Let it be similar in its desired end, to the union of Conservatives and true Liberals in England who now form the Unionist party, in contradistinction to the Gladstonian Liberals who would dismember Great Britain. This is only a crude outline of what might be done; but I believe if such a loyal and patriotic union was formed thousands of true Canadians and Englishmen would flock to join it, and that such a movement would not only help to preserve Canada to the Canadians and to the British Empire, but would also help to hasten Canada on the path that leads to a happy and glorious future. "ME JUDICE."

HIGHER EXAMINATION.

MRS A BLYTHE receives a limited number of young ladies to educate, and when necessary prepare for the higher examinations. Besides advanced Music, Languages, Drawing, Painting (oil, water and color), Students shall in literary advancement have the assistance of the Rev. A Blythe, M.A., late Scholar Exhib. and Senior Optime of Christ's College, Cambridge, Eng. Terms moderate. References in Victoria: Lists of successful candidates for the Civil Service Examinations, with other particulars on application to the Rev. or Mrs. Blythe, between 2 and 5 o'clock daily, 16 North Park Street, city. mr10-1mf

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

FOR SALE—One twenty inch Draper Y Level in good order. Address G, 68 Fourth St., city. mr12 6t

FOR SALE—Team of good Horses Harness, Wagon, Buggy, Cutter, &c. Apply 62 Second street. mr7 6t

TO LET—Finely furnished front rooms on Yates street. Apply P. O. Box 178. mr7-6t

HOUSE TO LET—On Fort St., near Douglas. Apply to A. B., Colonist office. mr5-3t

TO LET—A Furnished Front Bedroom, with bay window, pleasantly situated on Fort St.; terms reasonable. Apply Colonist office. mr4-6t

FOR SALE 160 acres first-class land, half a mile from McPherson's Station, between 55 and 60 acres cleared and seeded down in timothy. Good creek, houses, and plenty of fruit. Apply to Peter Hennessy. fe28-1m

FOR SALE—Lots on Craigflower Road from $350. About 2 acres of land, Cook St. Extension, with a frontage of 770 feet and back 692 feet, house 7 rooms, barn and stable, etc., $2,500. House and lot, 4th St. Work Estate, $2,075. Acre property, $320 per acre, Lake Hill. Front lot, Devonshire Road, Spring Ridge, $175. Large house and lot, large stable, quite new, everything in first class order, $3,200; house and two lots, Spring Ridge, $1,600. Apply A. Toller & Co., 18 Broad St. m 3-1m

TO LET—Furnished front room. Apply P.O. Box 359. mr3-tf

FOR RENT—7 room house; good stable, 6 Vancouver St. Apply J. A. T., Caton, 17 Yates St. fe22 12t

TO LET—Two new, convenient Six Room Houses by 1st March; dry, clean, bath, closet, etc. Appply 81 Fourth Street.

TO LET—Partly furnished six roomed house, with bathroom, James Bay. Apply 34 Niaga street. fe20-9t

TO LET—A comfortable bedroom and sitting room. Apply at Colonist office. fe18 1m

TO LET—Two nicely furnished rooms. Apply 52 Menzie street. fe15 6t

TO DEPOSITORS.

The British Columbia Land and Investment Agency, Ld.

(SUCCESSORS TO ALLSOP & MASON.)

In view of the low rate of interest given by the Dominion Savings Bank Department, and the restrictions imposed as to the amount to be deposited, this Company is now prepared to receive money on deposit, in large or small amounts, at interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on favorable terms as to notice, etc.

The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

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AMUSEMENTS.

CHARITY BALL

GIVEN BY

THE MARRIED LADIES AT HOME,

IN AID OF THE

British Columbia Benevolent Society,

Under the distinguished patronage of His Honour Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nelson, His Worship Mayor Grant and Board of Aldermen, at the

ASSEMBLY HALL,

FORT STREET,

Thursday Evening, April 9, 1891.

Tickets can be had from the officers of the British Columbia Benevolent Society, the members of the Married Ladies at Home, and from MRS. M. YOUNG, Hon.-Secretary.

Tickets, admitting lady and gentleman, $5. Ladies Tickets $1. mr4

VICTORIA THEATRE.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, MARCH 16 AND 17.

THE FASHIONABLE EVENT OF THE SEASON.

First time in Victoria of the

WILLIAM J GILMORE

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In the famous and successful Opera Comique

THE SEA KING

Under the management of Chas H Yale. With all of the original scenery and costumes and the same grand production as recently given at The California Theatre, San Francisco, and at Palmer's Theatre, New York city, for 150 consecutive nights.

The Cast includes: Mark Smith, R. E. Graham, Thos. H. Perrsse, Frank A. Howard, Geo. H. Carr, Elise Warren, Kate Gilbert, Mamie Cerbi, Kitty Hill, Edith Newton.

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HERMAN PERLET, Musical Conductor.

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MR. GEO. H. MURRAY.....AGENT.
MR. W. D. ANDREAS.....REPRESENTATIVE.

The sale of Seats will open at Waitt's bookstore, Thursday, March 12, at 9 a.m. The prices on this occasion will be $1.50, $1.00 and 50 cts. mr12 5t

WANTED TO RENT

Large House of 8 or 10 rooms, containing all modern improvements, on or in the neighborhood of Yates or Fort Streets. Please address offers, stating terms, P.O. Box 705, city. mr11 6t

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ARCHITECTS.

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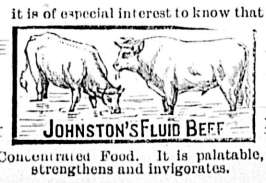

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THE NEW

JAPANESE STORE

Just received, a large shipment of goods DIRECT FROM JAPAN, and we are now able to offer to the public the finest lot of Japanese Curios in Victoria. Give us a call and be convinced. As this is the first genuine Japanese Store established in Victoria, we would kindly solicit the patronage of the public. Give us a call and see what we have.

Respectfully yours,

"ROKUBAN,"

NEW JAPANESE STORE,

150 Government St., near Johnson.

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WANTS.

WANTED—Board and Lodgings in a quiet family; Scotch preferred; in outskirts of town; terms must be moderate. Apply W., Colonist office. mr11 tf

WANTED—Situation by an elderly woman, either as housekeeper for a gentleman or to do housework and help care for a baby. Address Miss Theresa C. White, 66 Second Street. mr11-3t

WANTED—Six Gentlemen Boarders, 22 Young St., James Bay. mr10,3t

WANTED—Immediately, two Wardmaids for Prov. Royal Jubilee Hospital. Apply to the Matron. mr10

WANTED—An outside business man; only a first-rate business man need apply; liberal salary and commission. Bourchier, Croft & Mallette mr10-3t

WANTED—Girl to take charge of two children. Apply Mrs. Colmore, 60 Rae St. mr10-3t

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at 4c. per lb. at the Colonist office. mr8

NEWSPAPER—Wanted to purchase, an interest in daily or weekly. Address "Reddy," Times, St. Thomas, Ont. mr7-eod

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Fifteen to twenty girls, must be good machinists to work on shirts, clothing, etc. Machines are run by power; no foot work. Apply T. B. Pearson & Co., 30 Yates street. mr6-6t

AN ENGLISH Gentleman wishes homely board in suburbs of Victoria. Terms must be strictly moderate. Address "S. S.," P. O. Box 246, Vancouver, B. C. mr6 6t

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Middle aged couple Woman to act as housekeeper. No children preferred. Address Housekeeper, Colonist office. mr5-3t

WANTED—A good General Servant in a small family. Apply between 2 and 6 p.m. to Mrs. Caton, 101 Kingston St., James Bay. mr4-tf

WANTED—A Milliner. Apply at 63 Fort Street. mr4-6t

AGENTS WANTED in every city, town and village in the Dominion, to handle the best selling book in the market.—"Jameson's Story of the Rear Column."—from his diary and letters. Territory allotted. Outfit only 50c. First in the field reaps the harvest. Rose Pub. Co., Toronto, Ont. mr1-tts 6t

WANTED—Situation in a general store by young man of experience. Apply J. G. S., this office. fe27-6t

WANTED—To Rent a Stable suitable for six or eight horses. Apply Box 571,

FEMALE TEACHER WANTED—Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 12th March, for the position of teacher for the Port Essington School. For necessary qualifications and particulars address the undersigned. G. Cunningham, Secy. Board of School Trustees. mr7-6t

INFORMATION WANTED

CONCERNING the whereabouts of Abraham English, a plumber by trade. When last heard from was in Nanaimo (about 4 years ago.) Any information concerning him will be thankfully received by his brother, Wm. English, Missoula, Montana, U. S. no 6lm

EXECUTORS' SALE.

Estate of Late Richard Hunter, City of Victoria.

TENDERS will be received up to noon on Tuesday, March 31, 1891, by the undersigned, the Executors of the Estate of Richard Hunter, late of the City of Victoria, Custom House Officer, deceased, for the purchase of the following property on the corner of Cook and Chatham Streets, City of Victoria, viz:—Lots, 17, 18, 19 and 20 of Suburban Lot 17, on the official map of the City of Victoria, B. C. House and improvements thereon.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated the 7th day of March, A.D. 1891.

CHARLES N. CAMERON, and
LOUIS G. McQUADE,
Executors.
78 Wharf St.

BELYEA & GREGORY,
Solicitors for Executors. mr10-1m

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, beg to take this means of tendering our sincere thanks to those gentlemen who so kindly acted on our various committees during the late Election, for the support and assistance they rendered us, and to assure them that we highly appreciate the successful efforts they made on our behalf.

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